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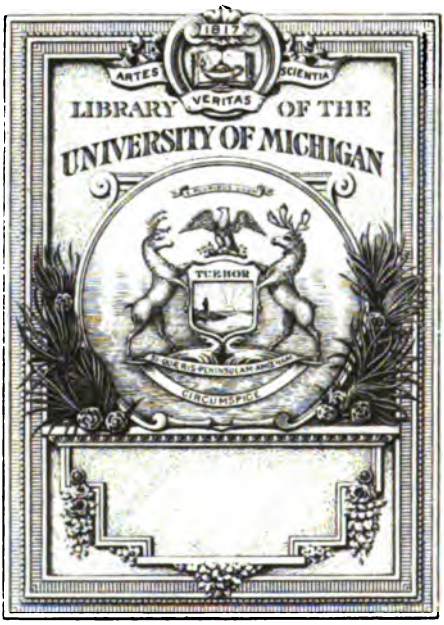
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Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Fisheries:

The committee on Fisheries, to whom was referred

House bill No. 242 (file No. 86), entitled

A bill to prohibit the taking or catching or attempting the taking or catching in any of the rivers or inland waters of either of the counties of Macomb, St. Clair, Lapeer or Oakland, excepting the river and Lake St. Clair, by seine, drag, pound or gill net, or any other device or means, except by hook and line, fish used, or that may be used as bait, and to prescribe penalties for the violation of this act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendmends thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The Senate concurred in the amendents made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Mellen,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. McGinley	
Burt	French	Mellen	
Champion	Garvelink	Mugford	
Clapp	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clark	Gilbert	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fleshiem			22

NAYS.

Mr. McLaughlin 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mellen,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Fisheries:

The committee on Fisheries, to whom was referred

House bill No. 182 (file No. 134), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 166 of the session laws of 1891, entitled "An act for the protection of fish in the lakes and streams of the county of St.

Joseph, State of Michigan, for the period of two years from and after the passage of this act," approved June 26, 1891,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment, as directed by the Senate, herewith return to the Senate

Senate bill No. 54 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 342 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan as amended by act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Reform School.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Mr. Pierce moved that the rule limiting the time in which a motion to reconsider may be made be suspended,

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

Mr. Pierce moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question then being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The bill was ordered to be retransmitted to the House pursuant to request received from the House therefor.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Fleshiem moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 7 (file No. 121), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 10 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act to authorize a railroad company to sell and convey its property and franchises to any other railroad, and to provide for securing payment therefor," approved February 27, 1889,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe
Crane	Hopkins	Pierce
Earle	Hough	Sabin
Fleshiem	Jewell	Sawyer
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull
French	Mellen	20

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage 1

Title agreed to.

Mr. Pierce moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 476, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Lincoln in the county of Arenac to borrow money to be used to encourage and promote manufacturing industries in said township and to issue bonds therefor,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties and townships.

Mr. Burt offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, There appears on page 824 of the Legislative Journal of April 10, a tabulated statement of the legislative expenses of 1893 and appropriations made for the year 1891, and as the same seems to be a mere compilation of a committee clerk and not as emanating from any standing committee of either house, or from any officer of the State; therefore be it

Resolved, That a special committee of three Senators, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, be created to investigate and report by what authority said compilation was made, and whether it is correct in all its various itemizations.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Sabin moved that the resolution be laid on the table,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Fox moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 454 (file No. 194), entitled

A bill to prevent any person or employer of labor to coerce or prevent employés from joining or belonging to any lawfully organized labor organization and to provide a punishment therefor,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee on Labor interests.

Mr. Barnard offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a respectful message be sent to the House requesting the return to the Senate of

Senate bill No. 374, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Grand Rapids to issue its bonds for the improvement of Grand river,

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Sabin moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 423, entitled

A bill to regulate the practice and business of embalming the dead bodies of human beings,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was referred to the committee on Public health.

Mr. Sabin moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 424, entitled

A bill to prevent the sale and use of infected milk and milk products by prohibiting the sale and providing for the punishment of offenders,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was referred to the committee on Public health.

Mr. Fox moved to take from the table the following Senate concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, Events of recent occurrence have given rise to criticisms upon the management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, indicating a condition of affairs detrimental to and suggesting a lack of understanding, if not a want of good government, discipline, and system for and over said institution; therefore be it

Resolved (the House concurring), That a special committee of six persons, to be composed of three members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President thereof, and three members of the House, to be named by the Speaker of that body, be appointed and directed and instructed to visit the said prison within the first ensuing ten days and investigate whether there is just cause for complaint against said management and control, and whether any changes in the rules, regulations and system governing the said institution or the manner of doing business therein and therefor, or the inmates thereof, are needed and can be adopted that will secure greater safety to the public, more efficient conduct of the prison, safer confinement of the prisoners confined therein, and a stricter compliance with the prison laws of this State; and that said committee be and they are hereby empowered to send for and examine all persons, books and papers, and to detail or employ such clerical and stenographic assistance as they may deem necessary to secure the fullest possible information that will enable them to compile and present a thorough and perfect report.

And the following House substitute therefor:

WHEREAS, Events of recent occurrence have given rise to criticisms upon the management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, indicating a state of affairs detrimental to, and suggesting a lack of understanding, if not a want of good government, discipline and system for and over said institution; therefore be it

Resolved (the House concurring), That the standing committees on State Prison of the two Houses be instructed to visit the said prison within the ensuing week and investigate whether there is just cause for complaint against said management and control; and whether any changes in the rules, regulations and system governing the said institution or the manner of doing the business therein and therefor, or the inmates thereof, are needed, and can be adopted, that will secure greater safety to the public, more efficient conduct of the prison, safer confinement of the prisoners, and a stricter compliance with the prison laws of this State; and that said joint committee be and they are hereby empowered to send for and examine all persons, books and papers, and to employ an accountant and such legal and stenographic assistance as they may deem necessary to secure the fullest possible information, and such as will enable them to prepare and present to the Legislature a thorough and clear report,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the substitute,

Mr. Fox moved that the concurrent resolution and substitute be referred to the committee on State Prison,

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 80 (file No. 136), entitled

A bill authorizing probate courts in this State to order or decree a

letting for a term of years, or a sale of real estate by executors, administrators or guardians.

Was taken up, and

Pending third reading of which,

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 451 (file No. 120), entitled

A bill to provide for a board of trustees for the management and control of the Michigan Reform School, and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	French	Pascoe	
Clapp	Garvelink	Pierce	
Crane	Gibson	Sabin	
Earle	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Steel	18

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	McGinley	Turnbull	
Doran	Mellen		11

Title agreed to.

Unanimous consent being given, Mr. Doran was granted leave of absence from the remainder of today's session.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Gibson to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 298 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 152 of the session laws of 1889, being "An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 29 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 15, 1887, entitled 'An act to provide for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows,'" as amended by act number 152 of the public acts of 1889.

Senate bill No. 103 (file No. 190), entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a coal house and the purchase of one machinist's lathe for the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the superintendent of said asylum.

House bill No. 368 (file No. 256), entitled

A bill to protect the fish in Saginaw river and its tributaries.

House bill No. 150 (file No. 49), entitled

A bill to prohibit catching or taking small mouthed black bass in Walloon lake, situated in the counties of Charlevoix and Emmet.

Senate joint resolution No. 15, entitled

A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to examine, settle and pay any claim found due James Corcoran by the State of Michigan.

House bill No. 351 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of supreme and subordinate senates of the Knights of the Ancient Essenic Order.

Senate bill No. 131 (file No. 164), entitled

A bill to establish a permanent State weather service in this State co-operating with the weather bureau, U. S. Department of Agriculture, for the purpose of the collection and compilation of climatic and meteorologic data, the accurate and rapid dissemination of daily weather forecasts, also frost and cold wave warnings, and weather crop conditions, the same to be used for the benefit of the agricultural, commercial and scientific interests of the State, and making an appropriation therefor.

Senate bill No 71 (file No. 191), entitled

A bill to amend section five of chapter one hundred and sixty-five of the revised statutes of one thousand eight hundred and forty-six as amended, relative to trials in criminal cases the same being compiler's section nine thousand five hundred and sixty-three of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 250 (file No. 192), entitled

A bill to amend section 127 of chapter 249, being compiler's section 6940 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to courts held by justices of the peace.

House bill No. 139 (file No. 90), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4 and 5, chapter 180 of the session laws of 1867, being sections 4475 and 4476 of Howell's annotated statutes. (*Proposed amended title:*—A bill to amend sections 4 and 5 of act number 145 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of Masonic lodges," as amended by act number 180 of the session laws of 1867, the same being compiler's sections 4475 and 4476 of Howell's annotated statutes),

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 128 (file No. 60), entitled

A bill to amend section 42 of act No. 213 of the session laws of 1875, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts

inconsistent therewith," being consecutive section No. 9705 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State.

Senate bill No. 275 (file No. 168), entitled

A bill to provide for incorporating the record of proceedings had on motions for new trial in bills of exceptions,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 207 (file No. 177), entitled

A bill to authorize the common council of any incorporated city within the limits of this State, or for the board of trustees of any incorporated village therein to make contracts for lighting parks, alleys and other public places within its corporate limits,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the committee on Judiciary.

CHARLES F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills:

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The Senate then adjourned and the President announced that the Senate would stand adjourned until tomorrow at 2 o'clock p. m.

Lansing, Wednesday, April 12, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Earle and Gibson.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

Leave of absence was granted to the absentees from today's session.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 237 (file No. 100), entitled

A bill to authorize the justices of the peace and of all police courts having jurisdiction in cases of disorderly persons, to make a special sentence of certain offenses and offenders, and to enforce such special sentence,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorite the courts, justices of the peace and police justices of this State to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication to give a special recognizance conditioned for such person taking the cure, for such drunkenness and intoxication and for the adjournment of such case against such person for a limited time for this purpose and to provide the means for carrying out the same,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 554 (file No. 141), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to exempt sewing machines from levy and sale on execution," approved March 13, 1861, being section 7717 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committees on Judiciary and Railroads jointly:

The committees on Judiciary and Railroads jointly, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 360, entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, being act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873; to provide for the taxation of railroad property, and to repeal the following: Section 33 of an act approved March 28, 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company." Section 21 of an act approved May 4, 1846, entitled "An act to incorporate the Grand River Valley Railroad Company." Section 2 of an act approved May 18, 1846, entitled "An act in regard to the Erie and Kalamazoo Railroad Company." Section 31 of

an act approved May 9, 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Southern Railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Southern Railroad Company." And section 9 of an act approved February 13, 1855, entitled "An act to authorize the consolidation of the Detroit & Pontiac and the Oakland & Ottawa Railroad Company, so as to form a continuous line from Detroit to Lake Michigan under the name of the Detroit & Milwaukee Railroad Company,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to request of the Senate that the bill be printed for the use of the committees.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY,
Chairman Judiciary.
JOSEPH FLESHIEM,
Chairman Railroads.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The request was granted, and the bill ordered printed for the use of the committees.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 101 (file No. 36), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of 1881, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 2 of said act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 437 (file No. 95), entitled

A bill regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass,

And further recommend that the title thereto be amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to define what shall constitute fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations; to provide for their incorporation and the regulation of their business, and for the punishment for violation of the provisions of the act of their incorporation, and to repeal all existing acts inconsistent therewith,

And ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made to the bill by the committee,

Mr. Doran moved that the bill be re-referred to the committee on Judiciary,

Which motion did not prevail.

The Senate then concurred in the amendments, made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committees on House of Correction at Marquette and State Prison jointly:

The committees on House of Correction at Marquette and State Prison jointly, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 26, entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the upper peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to request of the Senate that the bill be printed for the use of the committee.

PETER PASCOE,
Chairman Committee on House of Correction at Marquette.
J. MILTON EARLE,
Chairman Committee on State Prison.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,

The request was granted, and the bill ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 266, entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for special investigations and inspections, and otherwise to increase the efficiency of the State Board or Health in restricting dangerous diseases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for special investigations and inspections, and otherwise to increase the efficiency of the State Board of Health in restricting dangerous diseases,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred

Senate joint resolution No. 21, entitled

A joint resolution for the relief of Albert B. Judd,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the joint resolution by the committee

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The joint resolution was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order, without printing.

By the committee on Counties and townships:

The committee on Counties and townships, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 400, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of McMillan, in the county of Luce, in the State of Michigan, and to organize the township of Culhane, in said county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. French,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Counties and townships:

The committee on Counties and townships, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 476, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Lincoln in the county of Arenac to borrow money to be used to encourage and promote manufacturing interests in said township and to issue bonds therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Grayling in the county of Crawford, to borrow money to be used for local improvements and to issue bonds therefor,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. French,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Burt moved to amend the bill by striking out of the proviso in Section 1 the words "a majority" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two-thirds,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Clark	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	Jewell	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fox	Mears	Turnbull	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 50 (file No. 186), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 8 added to act No. 246 of the public acts of 1861, entitled "An act to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes for the passage of fish through dams across the streams of this State," approved March 16, 1861, as amended, the same being compiler's sections 2155 and 2156 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Fisheries,

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 532 (file No. 220), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 150 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,'" approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, and to add two new sections to said act to stand as sections 47 and 48, the same being section 46 of paragraph 3357*b* of the third volume of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Railroads.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR – I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 29 (file No. 201), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 161 of the session laws of 1850, entitled "An act for the protection of sheep and other domestic animals and for other purposes," the same being section 2119 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, and to add thereto another section to be known as section No. 6 of said act,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Agricultural interests.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, March 30, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 240 (file No. 155), entitled

A bill to provide for the inspection of illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils, and to repeal act No. 127, laws of 1879, as amended by act No. 49 of the laws of 1881, act No. 20 of the laws of 1881, and act No. 71, laws of 1891,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered

to take effect July 1, 1893, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Labor interests.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 7, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 121 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill providing for the conditional sale, lease or hire of railroad and street railway equipment and rolling stock, and providing for the recording of the contracts or agreements thereof,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 12, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 876 (file No. 247), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 344 of the local acts of 1891 entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of L'Anse, in the county of Baraga, Michigan," approved May 29, 1891,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 7, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 879, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Davison, in the County of Genesee, to borrow money for the purpose of making improvements in said village,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 801 (file No. 227), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act, entitled "An act to authorize a board of public works in and for the city of Grand Rapids," approved March 22, 1873, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 386, entitled

A bill to legalize certain bonds issued by the city of St. Joseph,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference to a committee,

Mr. Jewell moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be placed on its immediate passage.

On which motion Mr. Clark demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to suspend the rules and place the bill on its immediate passage then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	French	Mears	
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Sawyer	
Doran	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Turnbull	21

NAYS.

Mr. Clark 1

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Burt	Hopkins	Mugford	
Clapp	Hough	Pascoe	
Crane	Jewell	Sabin	
Doran	McGinley	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fox	Mears	Turnbull	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Unanimous consent being given,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Doran for the remainder of today's session.

Tne President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 166 (file No. 189), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all laws inconsistent herewith.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Garvelink to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 166 (file No, 189), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the

Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all laws inconsistent herewith,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

JAN W. GARVELINK *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Garvelink to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 52 (file No. 196), entitled

A bill to provide separate grades for railroads and public highways and streets where railroads intersect such highways and streets,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

JAN W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from tomorrow's session.

Mr. Fleshiem moved that the Senate adjourn until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock;

Which motion prevailed and the President announced the Senate would stand adjourned until tomorrow at 10 o'clock a. m.

Lansing, Thursday, April 13, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Doran.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Doran from this morning's session.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS.

OFFICE OF BOARD OF STATE AUDITORS,
Lansing, April 13, 1893.

Hon. J. Wight Giddings, President of the Senate:

I am instructed by the Board of State Auditors to inform the Senate that, in obedience to a concurrent resolution of the Senate and House of Representatives, they have examined the abstracts relating to the property formerly occupied as the site of the State capitol building, in the city of Detroit, and find that the State has never held a title to said land. The opinion of the Attorney General thereon is herewith transmitted.

Very respectfully,
MARCUS PETERSEN,
Secretary Board of State Auditors.

The following is the opinion of the Attorney General:

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Lansing, April 12, 1893.

To the Honorable, the Board of State Auditors, Lansing, Mich.:

GENTLEMEN—Your favor requesting my opinion as to whether the State has any title in a certain parcel of land formerly occupied as the site of the State capitol, bounded by Rowland, Griswold and State streets in the city of Detroit, is received and considered.

The land referred to is a triangular piece and is a portion of section 8 of the governor and judges plan of the city of Detroit, known as the high school lot.

By an act of congress, approved April 21, 1806, entitled "An act to provide for the adjustment of titles to land in the town of Detroit and territory of Michigan and for other purposes," the governor and judges of the territory of Michigan were authorized to lay out a town, including the old town of Detroit and ten thousand acres adjacent, with the power to hear and adjust all claims to lots therein and give deeds for the same. Section two of said act provided that the land remaining of the said ten thousand acres, after satisfying the claims provided for by section one, should be disposed of by the governor and judges, at their discretion, to the best advantage, and they were authorized to make deeds to purchasers thereof, and the proceeds of the land so disposed of to be applied by the governor and judges towards the building of a court house and jail in the said city of Detroit. The court house was used as the capitol building above referred to and the said governor and judges were required by said act to make a report to congress of their proceedings under the act.

In the case of Scott vs. Detroit young men's society's lessee, 1st of Douglass, 149, the supreme court of this State, having under consideration the validity of a deed given by the governor and judges of the territory of Michigan for lands in said city, on the first day of July, 1836, used this language: "At the time of its execution (referring to the deed) the United States held the unqualified fee of the lot, conveyed and possessed the absolute right to dispose of it as they should deem expedient. They had empowered the governor and judges of the territory, for the time being, to dispose of it at their discretion, to the best advantage, by the act which we have before so often referred to."

As this deed was given subsequent to the authority vested in the gov-

ernor and judges of the territory, the case of Scott vs. Young men's society's lessee cited, amounts to an authoritive statement by the supreme court of this State that the act granting certain powers to the governor and judges did not divest the United States of the title to the lands in question.

By an act of congress passed August 29, 1842, the powers of the said governor and judges of the territory of Michigan, relative to said lands were transferred to the mayor, recorder, and aldermen of the city of Detroit. Section 3 of said act provides, "That any land or other property, real or personal, remaining, except the court house and jail erected under the act to which this is a supplement, after satisfying all just claims provided for in the first section of the act, to which this is a supplement, is hereby vested in the said mayor, recorder and aldermen of the city of the city of Detroit."

In the case of the Board of Education vs. the City of Detroit, 30 of Mich., 505, it was held that the piece of ground referred to was excepted from the grant of property made to the city by the act of congress above quoted; that the exception therein made, of the court house, included the land on which the court house stood, and that the city, although it had power of legislative control and regulation over this property, had no authority over it as a proprietor.

It clearly appears from the language of the United States statutes in reference to this matter and the holdings of our court in regard thereto:

First, That the Governor and judges of the State of Michigan possessed only the naked power to convey for and in behalf of the general government, and did not possess any title to the land over which they had control, and acted merely as agents for the United States;

Second, That the act of 1842, which vested the mayor, recorder and aldermen of the city of Detroit all the powers and right with regard to the plan of Detroit and the land titles therein, which theretofore had been vested in the governor and judges, and which transferred to the corporation such remaining lands on the plan as were subject to their control, did not vest in the city of Detroit the title to the piece of land in question.

The State of Michigan occupied the court house for State purposes for some time, and finally surrendered the possession of the ground in question in about 1847, and since that time has not exercised any control over the same. The State had no record title, but held by the consent of the government, the title as above indicated remaining in the United States. Without any regard as to what the original title might have been, the land, since the date above mentioned, has been in the peaceable possession of those claiming adversely to the State, and even had the State ever had title it could not at this time assert any title against the city of Detroit. For many years the land has been in the possession of the board of education of the city of Detroit, and was until very lately occupied by what was known as the high school building.

Without attempting to pass upon the relative rights of the United States government and the city of Detroit to this piece of ground, it is clear that the State has no right, title or interest in the premises.

Respectfully,

A. A. ELLIS,

Attorney General of Michigan.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Asylum for the Criminal Insane:

The committee on Asylum for the Criminal Insane, to whom was referred House bill No. 156 (file No. 230), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JESSE D. CRANE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a committee of one from the Senate and two from the House be appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House to visit Chicago and ascertain what arrangements can be made for the entertainment of the Legislature while in Chicago during the dedication of the Michigan building and opening of the World's Fair,

Which has been adopted by the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The resolution was laid on the table.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the secretary of the Senate be instructed to notify the attorney general of the United States that

Senate bill No. 35 (file No. 8), entitled

A bill to repeal all of act No. 172 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act relative to the confinement in this State of persons committed or sentenced by the courts of the United States or of the territories thereof."

Was not ordered by the Senate to take immediate effect,

Pending which,

Mr. Clapp moved that the motion of Mr. Turnbull be laid upon the table;

Which motion prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Fox	Pierce	
Champion	Garvelink	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Crane	McLaughlin	Steel	
Earle	Mears		17

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Hough	Mr. Morrow	
Clark	McGinley	Mugford	
Gibson	Mellen	Turnbull	9

Mr. Clapp offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a respectful message be sent to the House requesting the return to the Senate of

Senate bill No. 11, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purchase of books for the State library for the years 1893 and 1894;

Which resolution was adopted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 298 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 152 of the session laws of 1889, being "An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 29 of the public acts of 1887," approved March 15, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows," as amended by act No. 152 of the public acts of 1889,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	French	Pascoe	
Burt	Hopkins	Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Sabin	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Steel	15

NAYS.

Mr. Garvelink	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Mellen	
Hough			4

Mr. Steel moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refuse dto pass the bill;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 103 (file No. 190), entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a coal house, and the purchase of a machinist's lathe for the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	French	Mugford
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe
Champion	Gibson	Pierce
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin
Clark	Hough	Sawyer
Crane	Jewell	Steel
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Fleshiem	Mellen	26

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the construction of a coal house and purchase of one machinist's lathe for the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the superintendent of said asylum;

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

House bill No. 368 (file No. 256) entitled

A bill to protect the fish in Saginaw river and its tributaries,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce
Clapp	Hough	Sabin
Clark	Jewell	Sawyer
Earle	McLaughlin	Steel
Eleshiem	Mears	Turnbull
Fox	Mellen	26

NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 150 (file No. 49), entitled

A bill to prohibit catching or taking small mouth black bass in Walloon lake, situate in the counties of Charlevoix and Emmet,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows.

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow
Burt	Gibson	Mugford
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe
Clapp	Hough	Pierce

Mr. Earle	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Sabin	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	Mears		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take effect 30 days after the same has been approved by the Governor.

Senate joint resolution No. 15, entitled

A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to examine, settle and pay any claim found due James Corcoran by the State of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Burt	Garvelink	Mugford	
Champion	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Hough	Sabin	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fox	Mellen		23

NAYS 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

Joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate, examine, settle and pay any claim found to be due the Presque Isle lumber company of Hammonds Bay, Presque Isle county, Michigan, against the State of Michigan for damages, or compensation, arising from the seizure by the trespass agents of the State of Michigan of a certain lot of cedar cut by it on portions of the north east quarter of section 35, north, range 2 east, claimed by the said trespass agents to have been a trespass upon State lands;

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect

House bill No. 351 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of supreme and subordinate senates of the knights of the ancient essenic order,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 131 (file No. 164), entitled

A bill to establish a permanent State weather service in this State co-operating with the weather bureau, U. S. Department of Agriculture, for the purpose of the collection and compilation of climatic and meteorologic

data, the accurate and rapid dissemination of daily weather forecasts, also frost and cold wave warnings, and weather crop conditions, the same to be used for the benefit of the agricultural, commercial and scientific interests of the State, and making an appropriation therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnand	Mr. Fox	Mr. McGinley	
Brundage	French	McLaughlin	
Burt	Garvelink	Mellen	
Champion	Gibson	Morrow	
Crane	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Earle	Jewell	Pierce	
Fleshiem			19

NAYS.

Mr. Clark 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 71 (file No. 191), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 165 of the revised statutes of 1846 as amended, relative to trials in criminal cases, the same being compiler's section 9563 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Fleshiem	Pascoe	
Burt	Fox	Pierce	
Champion	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Doran	Jewell	Steel	15

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Mellen	
Crane	McLaughlin	Morrow	
French	Mears	Sabin	
Garvelink			10

Mr. Burt moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 250 (file No. 192), entitled

A bill to amend section 127 of chapter 249, being compiler's section 6940 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to courts held by justices of the peace,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pascoe	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Pierce	
Fox	McLaughlin	Sawyer	
French	Mears	Turnbull	12

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Clark	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Garvelink	Sabin	
Champion	Gibson		8

Mr. McGinley moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 139 (file No. 90), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4 and 5 of act number 145 of the session laws of 1867, entitled an "Act to provide for the incorporation of Masonic lodges," as amended by act number 180 of the session laws of 1867, the same being compiler's sections 4475 and 4476 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Hopkins	Mugford	
Clapp	Hough	Pascoe	
Doran	Jewell	Pierce	
Earle	McGinley	Sabin	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Sawyer	
Fox	Mears	Steel	
French	Mellen	Turnbull	
Garvelink			25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 128 (file No. 60), entitled

A bill to amend section forty-two of act number two hundred and thirteen of the session laws of 1875, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison and the government and discipline thereof and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith," being consecutive section number nine thousand seven hundred and five of Howell's annotated statutes of this State;

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Garvelink	Mugford	
Clapp	Gibson	Pascoe	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin		17

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Morrow	
Doran	Jewell	Sabin	
Fox			7

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 275 (file No. 168), entitled

A bill to provide for incorporating the record of proceedings had on motions for new trial in bills of exceptions,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pascoe	
Burt	Hough	Pierce	
Clapp	McGinley	Sabin	
Crane	McLaughlin	Sawyer	
Fox	Mears	Steel	
French	Mellen	Turnbull	
Gibson	Mugford		20

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Jewell	
Doran			4

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 166 (file No. 189), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all laws inconsistent herewith,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Sabin moved to amend the bill by striking out in line 3 section 3 the word "such;"

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sabin moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clapp	Gibson	Pierce	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Jewell	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin		20

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Mugford	
Clark	Morrow	Turnbull	
Doran			7

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from this afternoon's session.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from this afternoon's session.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

Leave of absence was granted to himself for the remainder of this week.

Mr. Barnard moved the Senate take a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.;

Which motion prevailed.

AFTER RECESS.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

Quorum present.

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS

Senate bill No. 52 (file 196), entitled

A bill to provide separate grades for railroads and public highways and streets where railroads intersect such highways and streets,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe	
Crane	Hopkins	Pierce	
Doran	Hough	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Turnbull	23
Fox	Mears		

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Sabin	2

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Pierce the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The president announced the following

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 13, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 245, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for additional buildings for the Michigan Mining School at Houghton, Michigan, for the further equipment of the same, and for the support and maintenance of said mining school for the years 1893 and 1894, and to amend section 7 of act number 239 of the the public acts of the State of Michigan of the year 1887, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the Mining School at Houghton, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, including all permanent fixtures, heating and lighting apparatus, etc.," approved June 24, 1887,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Mining school and mining interests.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 13, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 171 (file No. 101), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the current expenses of the State Normal School for the years 1893 and 1894,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 13, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 476, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Grayling, in the county of Crawford, to borrow money to be used for local improvements and to issue bonds therefor,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 35 (file No. 8), entitled

A bill to repeal all of act No. 172 of the public acts of 1889, and being compiler's section 9881c Howell's annotated statutes, entitled "An act relative to the confinement in this State, of persons committed or sentenced by the courts of the United States or of the territories thereof,"

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Doran moved that the rule limiting the time in which a motion to reconsider may be made be suspended,

On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to suspend the rule then did not prevail, two-thirds of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Fleshiem	Mears	
Clapp	Fox	Sabin	
Clark	Jewell	Steel	
Doran			13

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Crane	Hough	Sawyer	
French	McGinley	Turnbull	
Garvelink	Mellen		14

Mr. Turnbull then moved that the bill be laid on the table,

On which motion Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays,

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Crane	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pascoe	
Garvelink	McGinley	Sawyer	
Gibson	Mellen	Turnbull	9

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Doran	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Earle	Mears	
Burt	Fleshiem	Mugford	
Champion	Fox	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Jewell	Steel	18

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Unanimous consent being given the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 876 (file No. 247), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 344 of the local acts of 1891, entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of L'Anse, in the county of Baraga, Michigan," approved May 29, 1891,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	French	Morrow	
Burt	Garvelink	Mugford	
Champion	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clark	Hough	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Doran	McGinley	Steel	
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mears		29

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,
By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Barnard moved to take from the table,
House bill No. 351 (file No. 240), entitled
A bill to provide for the incorporation of supreme and subordinate senates of the Knights of the Ancient Essenic Order;
Which motion prevailed.
The question being on the passage of the bill,
Mr. Barnard moved to amend the bill so as to read as follows:
By striking out of line 9 of section 2 the word "which," and inserting after the word "promote" the words "the social advancement of its members in accordance with the laws of this State;" also by removing the comma after the word "fraternity;" also by placing a semicolon after the word "order," and by removing the comma,
Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.
Mr. Clapp moved to amend the bill as follows:
By inserting in line 2 of section 9, after the word "laws," the words "of 1871;"
Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.
The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	Hopkins	Pascoe
Clapp	Jewell	Pierce
Earle	McGinley	Sawyer
Fox	McLaughlin	Steel
French	Mellen	Turnbull
Garvelink		19

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Crane	Mr. Sabin
Clark		4

Title agreed to.
On motion of Mr. Barnard,
By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.
Mr. McGinley moved to take from the table
Senate bill No. 464, entitled
A bill to regulate the practice of medicine in this State;
Which motion prevailed.
On motion of Mr. McGinley,
The bill was referred to the committee on Public health.
On motion of Mr. Hopkins,
The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 2:45 o'clock, p. m.
The executive session closed, the time being 2:50 o'clock p. m.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate went into committee of the whole, on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Clapp to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

1. House bill No. 156 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Reform School for the years 1893 and 1894,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

F. W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. French,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Wednesday, April 19.

On motion of Mr. Mellen,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Tuesday, April 18.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Mining School and mining interests:

The committee on Mining School and mining interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 245, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for additional buildings for the Michigan Mining School at Houghton, Michigan, for the further equipment of the same, and for the support and maintenance of said mining school for the years 1893 and 1894, and to amend section 7 of act No. 239 of the public acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1887, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the Mining School at Houghton, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, including all permanent fixtuaes, heating and lighting apparatus, etc., approved June 24, 1887,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Insurance:

The committee on Insurance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 104 (file No. 38), entitled

A bill making it unlawful for foreign insurance companies, legally

admitted to do business in the State of Michigan, to place or cause to be placed insurance on property in the State of Michigan, in offices outside of the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Clapp to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee arose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 367 (file No. 151), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the grand, district and subordinate, lodges of the Loyal Orange Institution of the State of Michigan.

House bill No. 21 (file No. 35), entitled

A bill to authorize proceedings in the circuit courts in chancery, in relation to the laying out, dividing and platting into lots, streets and alleys, of lands owned by infants, idiots, lunatics and other incompetent persons.

Senate substitute for House bill No. 53 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purposes of constructing, owning, controlling and leasing buildings for hotels, elevators or public halls," being act No. 70 of the public acts of 1887, approved April 15, 1887; and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 13.

House bill No. 372, entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of Iron River in Iron county.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 319 (file No. 195), entitled

A bill to amend sections 9 and 10 of act No. 276, laws of 1889, as amended by act No. 152, laws of 1891, entitled "An act for the protection of game."

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chair-

man to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

F. W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Gibson moved that the Senate adjourn until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock;

Which motion prevailed, and the President announced the Senate would stand adjourned until tomorrow at 10 o'clock a. m.

Lansing, Friday, April 14, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Doran, Morrow and Sabin.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Sabin on account of sickness in his family.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

Leave of absence was granted to all the absentees.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Tuesday next.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Wednesday next.

On motion of Mr. Mugford,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Tuesday next.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 35 (file No. 8), entitled

A bill to repeal all of act No. 172 of the public acts of 1889, and being compiler's section 9881c Howell's annotated statutes, entitled "An act relative to the confinement in this State of persons committed or sentenced by the courts of the United States or of the territories thereof."

Senate bill No. 171 (file No. 101), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the current expenses of the State Normal School for the years 1893 and 1894.

Senate bill No. 476, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Grayling, in the county of Crawford,

to borrow money to be used for local improvements and to issue bonds therefor.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 49 (file No. 48), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of article 4 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 13, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State board of health for the purpose of clearing and deepening Black river in Sanilac county for sanitary purposes and providing and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of said State board of health,

Which has passed the House by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 13, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 774 (file No 267), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, supervision and government of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on School for the Blind.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 13, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 699 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of title 1; sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2; sections 12 and 13 of title 3; title 4; section 1 of title 5; sections 8, 11, 18, 19 and 20 of title 6; title 8; sections 8, 10, 11, 12 and 16 of title 10; section 1 of title 11; section 3 of title 12; sections 2, 5, and 9 of title 13; section 18 of title 14; and title 15, of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw, and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw; to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city; to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw, and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights; to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act number 455 of the local acts of 1889, and being in the charter of the city of Saginaw,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 156 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Reform School for the years 1893 and 1894,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Mears
Brundage	Fox	Mugford
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Clark	Jewell	Steel	
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin		23

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Brundage moved to amend the title as follows:

By striking out of line 1 the words "Reform School" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Industrial School for Boys."

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 367 (file No. 151), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the Grand, district and subordinate, lodges of the Loyal Orange Institution of the State of Michigan,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Turnbull moved to amend the bill by inserting at the end of section 1 the following paragraph:

Provided, That the same shall in its ritual obligations, constitution or by-laws, disclaim all loyalty or allegiance to the British government and instead thereof, declare its allegiance to the government of the United States and to the State of Michigan and will not permit anything to be taught by the order, tending to incite its members against any citizen of the State, on account of his or her religious beliefs.

On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend the bill then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Turnbull	
Clark			4

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe	
Earle	Hopkins	Pierce	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Sawyer	
Fox	McLaughlin	Steel	15

Mr. Fox moved the previous question;

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being, shall the main question now be put?

The same was ordered.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Turnbull moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe	
Burt	Hopkins	Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fox			16

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. McGinley	2

Mr. Fox moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 21 (file No. 35), entitled

A bill to authorize proceedings in the circuit courts in chancery in relation to the laying out, dividing and platting into lots, streets and alleys of lands owned by infants, idiots, lunatics and other incompetent persons,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Fox	Mears	
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	18

NAYS.

Mr. Garvelink	1

Title agreed to.

Senate substitute for House bill No. 53 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of erecting and owning buildings to be occupied for stores, offices, halls, and lodge, society and association rooms,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin		20

NAYS.

	0

Title agreed to.

Pending the motion to give the bill immediate effect,
On motion of Mr. Clapp,
The bill was laid on the table.
On motion of Mr. Barnard,
All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.
Senate bill No. 319 (file No. 195), entitled
A bill to amend sections 9 and 10 of act No. 276, session laws of 1889, as amended by act No. 152, session laws of 1891, entitled "An act for the protection of game,"
Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe
Burt	Hopkins	Pierce
Champion	Jewell	Sawyer
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	17

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Crane	2

Title agreed to.
House bill No. 372, entitled
A bill to incorporate the public schools of Iron River, in Iron county,
Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. McLaughlin
Brundage	Fox	Mears
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe
Champion	Gibson	Sawyer
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull
Earle	McGinley	20

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.
Pending the motion to give the bill immediate effect,
On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,
The bill was laid on the table.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Steel,
The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,
The President called Mr. Steel to the chair.
After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:
The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No. 21, entitled
Joint resolution for the relief of Albert B. Judd,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 554 (file No. 141), entitled

A bill to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to exempt sewing machines from levy and sale on execution," approved March 13, 1861,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The above named joint resolution was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Barnard moved the Senate take a recess until two o'clock, p. m.;

Which motion prevailed.

AFTER RECESS.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate was called to order by the President.

Quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Crane offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and is hereby directed to communicate with the authorities at the Agricultural College and ascertain why the Senate is discriminated against in the matter of flowers daily furnished to different departments in the State capitol, and to suggest to said authorities that the Senate asks only that equal courtesy be shown this body and other departments,

Which resolution was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 213 (file No. 250), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the State Industrial Home for Girls, for the years 1893 and 1894,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to

take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Industrial Home for Girls.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 548 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1893 and 1894,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on School for the Blind.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 225 (file No. 234), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 44 of the revised statutes of 1846, being compiler's section 1592 of the compiled laws of 1871, and section 1456 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to laws of the road, and regulation of public carriages,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Roads and bridges.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of three members of the House and two from the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, with power and authority to send for persons, books

and papers and employ expert and clerical help if necessary, to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural College and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking towards an increase in and enlargement of the usefulness of the institution,

Which has been adopted by the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Doran moved to amend the same by striking out of line 2 the word "two" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three;"

Which motion prevailed and the resolution was so amended.

The resolution as thus amended was then adopted.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to retransmit the following bill:

House bill No. 152 (file No. 257), entitled

A bill to authorize the Lansing city electric railway company to extend its electric street railway in the township of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, in and along the highway extending from the eastern terminus of Michigan avenue in the city of Lansing to the grounds of the Michigan Agricultural College; to regulate the construction and operation thereof, and to provide a penalty for the obstruction of said railway,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 427 (file No. 248), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State Public School for the years 1893 and 1894, for making improvements at that institution and to provide a tax for the same,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on State Public School.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 159, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Michigan School for the Deaf, for the years 1893 and 1894,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 600 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to establish an insurance bureau," approved April 13, 1871, being compiler's section 4213 Howell's statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Insurance.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 217 (file No. 194) entitled

A bill to amend section eighteen of chapter one hundred and thirty-one of Howell's compilation of the general statutes of the State of Michigan so as to require that all life insurance companies doing business in this State, shall on or before the year 1896, have their liabilities and the valuation of their outstanding policies computed on the basis of American experience life table of a rate of interest or four per centum per annum,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Insurance.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Brundage moved to take from the table,

Senate substitate for House bill No. 53 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of erecting and owning buildings to be occupied for stores, offices, halls, and lodge, society and association rooms;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Turnbull moved to take from the table

House bill No. 372, entitled

A bill to incorporate the public schools of Iron River in Iron county;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immeniate effect.

Mr. McLaughlin offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn it be to Monday evening next at 9 o'clock;

Which resolution was adopted.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Insurance:

The committee on Insurance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 37), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled, "An act to prevent the soliciting or issuing of unauthorized fire or island insurance policies in this State," approved May 12, 1881, the same being compiler's section No. 4354 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 245, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for additional buildings for the Michigan Mining School at Houghton, Michigan, for the further equipment of

the same, and for the support and maintenance of said mining school for the years 1893 and 1894, and to amend section 7 of act No. 239 of the public acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1887, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the Mining School at Houghton, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, including all permanent fixtures, heating and lighting apparatus, etc., approved June 24, 1887,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Taxation:

The committee on Taxation, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 81), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for, establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

SAMUEL W. HOPKINS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

The time being 2.15 o'clock p. m.

The executive session closed, the time being 2.40 o'clock p. m.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate adjourned, and the President announced that the Senate would stand adjourned until Monday, April 17 at 9 o'clock p. m.

Lansing, Monday, April 17, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Barnard, Crane, Doran, Earle, Fleshiem, Hopkins, Pascoe and Sawyer.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Leave of absence was granted to the absentees from today's session.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 166. By Mr. Mears, for Mr. Sabin: Petition of 265 citizens of Olivet, Holland, Climax and other places, asking for separate boards of control for the penal and reformatory institutions of this State.

Referred to the committee on State affairs.

No. 167. By Mr. Mears: Petition of residents of Cadillac for the passage of

A bill to provide for the filing of notes, contracts, or other evidences of indebtedness in the office of the township clerk of townships, city clerks of cities, or the city recorder of cities having no officer known as city clerk, when the conditions of such notes, contracts, or other evidences of indebtedness are such that the title or ownership to the property for which the same if given, remains in the vendor.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS.

The President announced the following:

Lansing, April 17, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day appointed Isaac Harris, Janitor, in place of A. E. Ross, resigned.

Very respectfully,
J. WIGHT GIDDINGS,
President of the Senate.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, April 13, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 476 (manuscript), being

An act to authorize the township of Grayling in the county of Crawford, to borrow money to be used for local improvement, and to issue bonds therefor.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 566 (file No. 123), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 131 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, being an act entitled "An act in relation to life insurance companies transacting business within this State," as heretofore amended, by adding thereto one new section to be known as section 32, and intended to prevent distinction or discrimination between white persons and colored persons, wholly or partially of African descent in insuring lives,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Insurance.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 146 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patient's library, and for hall painting and renovating at the Eastern Michigan Asylum,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Asylums for the insane.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 11 (file No. 162), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purchase of books for the State library for the years 1893 and 1894,

In accordance with the request of the Senate therefor, this day received.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 103 (file No. 190), entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a coal house and purchase of one machinist's lathe for the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the superintendent of said asylum,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Champion moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 255, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 169 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for a central board of control which shall have the management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, the Michigan School for the Blind at Lansing, and the Michigan School for the Deaf at Flint, to prescribe the powers of said board and to abolish the present boards of said institutions, and to repeal all laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee on the whole and placed on the general order.

Mr. Champion moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 256, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 140 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for a State board of inspectors who shall perform the duties now performed by the advisory board in the matter of pardons, and who shall have the management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia, the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform School for Boys at Lansing,

and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to abolish all existing boards and to annul all existing appointments;"

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Mr. Clapp moved that the Senate adjourn;

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m., tomorrow.

Lansing, Tuesday, April 18, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. McGinley.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

Leave of absence was granted to the absentee from today's session.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 168. By Mr. Sabin: Petition of 678 citizens of Detroit, Grand Rapids, Paw Paw and other cities in this State, asking that separate boards of control be formed for the various reformatory institutions of this State.

Referred to the committee on State affairs.

No. 169. By Mr. Doran: Petition of L. M. Hills, Walter Baker, J. Free Smith, J. H. Temmink and many other traveling men, praying for the passage of Senate bill No. 218, prohibiting the letting down of the upper berth in sleeping cars on occupants of lower berths unless the same are sold to actual users.

Referred to the committee on State affairs.

No. 170. By Mr. Steel: Petition of R. M. Winston and 41 others against the passage of House bill 327, file 128;

Referred to the committee on Education and public schools.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 455 (file No. 211), entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Highland Park, in the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing public sewers in said village,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the bill by inserting after the word "date" in line 5 of section 2, the following:

"Said bonds shall be of the denomination of $1,000 each and numbered consecutively from 1 to 60, both inclusive. Bonds numbered 1 to 6, both inclusive, shall be made payable one year from the date of issue; bonds 7 to 12, both inclusive, shall be made payable two years from date of isssue; bonds 13 to 18, both inclusive, shall be made payable three years from the date of issue; bonds 19 to 24 shall be made payable 4 years from the date of issue; bonds 25 to 30, both inclusive, shall be made payable 5 years from the date of issue; bonds 31 to 36, both inclusive, shall be made payable 6 years from the date of issue; bonds 37 to 42, both inclusive, shall be made payable 7 years from the date of issue; bonds 43 to 48, both inclusive, shall be made payable 8 years from the date of issue; bonds 49 to 54, both inclusive, shall be made payable 9 years from the date of issue; bonds 55 to 60, both inclusive, shall be made payable 10 years from the date of issue, and the said village is hereby authorized to spread upon its tax rolls in the respective years the sums required for the payment of said bonds and interest thereon as provided herein;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. McLaughlin then moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 9 of section 2 after the words "par value" the following: "Provided that no portion of said fund shall be expended upon the construction of any sewer in said village intended to have an outlet into or junction or connection with any sewer in the city of Detroit until said village shall have made an agreement in writing with said city for such outlet, junction or connection;"

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. McLaughlin offered the following protest against its passage, which was received and ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

I protest against the passage of this bill without provision being made therein for the payment of the bonds hereby authorized by returning a fixed proportion of them each year or by a provision for a sinking fund to pay them at maturity. I protest against the passage of the bill without a provision therein requiring said village to make no expenditure of the proceeds of said bonds upon a plan of sewerage which contemplates a connection with the sewers of the city of Detroit without first having made an agreement with said city for such connection. Having offered amendments to effect these purposes which have been rejected I earnestly protest against the passage of the bill in its present form, because

1. Said village of Highland Park is not a village in the character of its composition. It is not a compact or homogenius center of population. On the contrary it has an area of 1,920 acres of land with but 65 houses scattered over it, one house to each 30 acres.

2. It is organized as a temporary makeshift with no idea of permanently maintaining its village form of goverment, but of seeking annexation to the city of Detroit. A village of this character should be allowed to incur debts without making provision for their payment and especially

should it not be permitted to issue long time bonds intended to outlive it without such provision.

I believe it to be the deliberate intention of said village to construct its sewers on a plan which will necessitate connection with the sewers of the city of Detroit, and then throw itself upon the generosity of the city in getting permission for making the necessary connections. I believe and charge it to be their purpose to avoid a discussion of this question upon its merits and freed from any embarassing conditions, but that they propose to complicate the matter by endeavoring to put the city in a position where it would seem ungenerous in refusing, inasmuch as their money was expended and their system would be of no use to them unless they obtained the desired outlet.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Champion	Gibson	Mugford	
Clark	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Crane	Hopkins	Pierce	
Doran	Hough	Sawyer	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss	24

NAYS.

Mr. McLaughlin	Mr. Sabin	2

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 438 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4 and 8 of an act of the Legislature of 1893, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Hudson, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts relative to the incorporation of the village of Hudson and the common council of the village of Hudson," approved February 16, 1893, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 14 of said act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Pending the reference of the bill,

Mr. Mellen made the following minority report:

I, as a minority of the committee on Cities and villages, beg leave to

submit the following minority report on House bill No. 438, for which the following reason is set forth:

As these amendments having once been considered as sections of the original act and on recommendation of the committee stricken out of the act, I know of no reason why they should now pass.

H. MELLEN.

Mr. Mellen moved that the minority report be adopted,

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 88 (file No. 153), entitled

A bill to establish a home and training school for the feeble-minded and epileptic, and making an appropriation for the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 10 (file No. 149), entitled

A bill to compel the use of safety valves on cylinders, drums, or other vessels, etc., containing and confining carbonic acid gas, nitrous oxide gas, and like aeriform substances,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Agricultural interests:

The committee on Agricultural interests to whom was referred

House bill No. 29 (file No. 201), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 161 of the session laws of 1850, entitled "An act for the protection of sheep and other domestic animals and for other purposes," the same being section 2119 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, and to add therein another section to be known as section No. 6 of said act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that it be referred to the committee on Judiciary and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

By the committee on School for the Blind:

The committee on School for the Blind, to whom was referred

House bill No. 548 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1893 and 1894,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. R. McLAUGHLIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on State Public School:

The committee on State Public School, to whom was referred

House bill No. 427, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State Public School for the years 1893 and 1894, for making improvements at the institution and to provide a tax for the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

M. SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 103 (file No. 190), entitled

A bill to provide for the construction of a coal house and purchase of one machinist's lathe for the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the superintendent of said asylum.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 374, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Grand Rapids to issue its bonds for the improvement of the navigation of Grand river,

In accordance with the request of the Senate therefor this day received.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Barnard moved to suspend the rule limiting the time within which a motion to reconsider a vote may be made;

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators voting therefor.

Mr. Barnard moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The bill was referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sabin moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 255, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 169 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for a central board of control which shall have the management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, the Michigan School for the Blind at Lansing, and the Michigan School for the Deaf at Flint, to prescribe the powers of said board and to abolish the present boards of said institutions, and to repeal all laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act,

On which motion Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays:

The motion then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Pierce	
Brundage	Gibson	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	19
Fleshiem	Mears		
Fox	Pascoe		

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Clark	Hough	Mugford	
Doran	Mellen	Turnbull	9

Mr. Sabin moved that the bill be laid on the table,

On which motion Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss	
Fox			19

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Clark	Hough	Mugford	
Doran	Mellen	Turnbull	9

Mr. Sabin moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of Senate Bill No. 256, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 140 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for a State board of inspectors who shall perform the duties now performed by the advisory board in the matter of pardons, and who shall have the management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia, the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform Schoocl for Boys at Lansing, and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to abolish all existing boards and to annul all existing appointments;"

Pending which,

Mr. Turnbull raised the point of order that the pending motion was not in order,

Which point of order the President overruled,

Whereupon Mr. Turnbull appealed from the decision of the chair.

The question then being shall the decision of the chair stand as the judgment of the Senate,

Mr. Turnbull demanded the yeas and nays.

The decision of the chair was then sustained, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss	
Fox			19

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Doran	Mr. Mugford	
Clark	Gilbert	Turnbull	6

Mr. Fleshiem then moved the previous question, which motion was seconded.

The question then being, "Shall the main question now be put?"

Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays.

The previous question was then ordered, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Jewell	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fox	Mears	Weiss	18

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Doran	Morrow		8

The motion to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of the bill then prevailed.

Mr. Barnard then moved that the bill be laid on the table.

On which motion Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay the bill on the table then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss	
Fox			19

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Doran	Morrow		8

Mr. Morrow moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 255, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 169 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for a central board of control which shall have the management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, the Michigan School for the Blind at Lansing, and the Michigan School for the Deaf at Flint, to prescribe the powers of said board and to abolish the present boards of said institutions, and to repeal all laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act;

Pending which, Mr. Fox moved that the motion be laid on the table,

On which motion Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays, and the motion of Mr. Fox then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears		17

NAYS

Mr. Champion	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Mugford	
Clark	Morrow	Turnbull	
Gilbert			7

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Barnard to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 104 (file No. 38), entitled

A bill making it unlawful for foreign insurance companies, legally admitted to do business in the State of Michigan, to place or cause to be placed insurance on property in the State of Michigan, in offices outside of the State of Michigan.

Substitute for Senate bill No. 316 (file No. 205), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 159, session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland waters of this State," approved June 24, 1891.

Senate bill No. 414 (file No. 200), entitled

A bill providing that all persons employing female help in stores shall provide seats for the same when not actively employed.

House bill No. 245, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the additional buildings for the Michigan Mining School and for the support, maintenance and additional equipment of said school.

House bill No. 49 (file No. 48), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of article IV of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873 entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in thir State.

Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 37), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the soliciting or issuing of unauthorized fire or inland marine insurance policies in this State," approved May 12, 1881, the same being compiler's section No. 4354 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 34 (file No. 7), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled, "An act supplementary to an act entitled, 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein, approved March 26, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto, to stand as section 7 of said act, in place of section 7 which was repealed by act 67, approved May 10, 1879.'"

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 33 (file No. 6), entitled

A bill to amend sections fourteen and fifteen of act number fifty-nine of

the laws of 1851, relative to the incorporated telegraph companies, being sections 3706 and 3707 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of 1883.

Senate bill No. 428 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 230 laws of 1885, approved June 20, 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of the introduction and spread of cholera and other dangerous communicable diseases," and to add four new sections thereto to stand as sections 4, 5, 6 and 7,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 237 (file No. 206), entitled

A bill to authorize the courts, justices of the peace and police justices of this state to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication to give a special recognizance conditioned for such persons taking the cure, for such drunkenness and intoxication and for the adjournment of the case against such person for a limited time for this purpose and to provide means for carrying out the same,

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 210), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lein, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and with the recommendation that the bills as thus amended be printed, re-referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 417 (file No 198), entitled

A bill providing that all prison made goods shall be so branded,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that all after the enacting clause of the bill be stricken out.

EDMUND M. BARNARD *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the third named

bills, and the same as thus amended were ordered printed, re-referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

The question being on concurring in the recommendation of the committee regarding the fourth named bill,

Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mellen	
Crane	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Earle	Hough	Pierce	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Sawyer	
Garvelink	Mears	Weiss	15

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Doran	Mr. Sabin	
Brundage	Morrow	Steel	
Clark	Mugford	Turnbull	9

And all after the enacting clause of the bill was stricken out.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The title and enacting clause of the bill were laid on the table.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m., tomorrow.

Lansing, Wednesday, April 19, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Secretary, the President and President *pro tem.* being absent.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Earle, Hopkins, McGinley and Mugford.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

Senator Fox was appointed temporary President.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Earle from today's session.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Hopkins from today's session.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 175 (file No. 74), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Benzonia, in the county of Benzie,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amend-

ments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Supplies and expenditures:

The committee on Supplies and expenditures, to whom was referred the following account, viz.:

Americanus Water Co.,

To supply of Americanus from Feb. 28 to March 30, the latter included, 260 gallons $26 00

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the account be allowed and ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and adopted.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 796 (file No. 157), entitled

A bill to provide for the government of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane and the inmates therein, and to repeal act 190 laws of 1883 and all acts amendatory thereto,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Mr. Burt moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators were reported absent without leave, Messrs. McGinley and McLaughlin.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

Mr. McLaughlin was excused from the operation of the call.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

Mr. McGinley was excused from the operation of the call.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

By the committee on Industrial Home for Girls:

The committee on Industrial Home for Girls, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 262, entitled

A bill to provide for the control and management of the State Industrial Home for Girls, at Adrian, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 152 (file No. 257), entitled

A bill to authorize the Lansing city electric railway company to extend its electric street railway in the township of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, in and along the highway extending from the eastern terminus of Michigan avenue in the city of Lansing to the grounds of the Michigan Agricultural College; to regulate the construction and operation thereof, and to provide a penalty for the obstruction of said railway,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The temporary President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 171 (file No. 101), being

An act making appropriations for the current expenses of the State Normal School for the years 1893 and 1894.

Also,

Senate bill No. 35 (file No. 8), being

An act to repeal all of act No. 172 of the public acts of 1889, and being compiler's section 9881c Howell's annotated statutes, entitled "An act relative to the confinement in this State of persons committed or sentenced by the courts of the United States or of the territories thereof."

Very respectfully,

JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The temporary President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 487 (file No. 151), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 265 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to reincorporate the city of Cadillac, and to repeal act No. 254 of the session laws of 1877, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Cadillac, and repeal act No. 336 of the session laws of 1875,' approved April 22, 1875, and act No. 304 of the session laws of 1879, entitled 'An act to amend section 1 of act No. 254 of the session laws of 1877,' approved March 20, 1877, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Cadillac, and repeal act No. 336 of the session laws of 1875,' approved April 22, 1875," approved March 6, 1885,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 184 (file No. 80), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Mellen, in the county of Menominee, to aid in the construction and maintenance of a bridge across the Menominee river,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 78 (file No. 28), entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Detroit to raise money for the purpose of enlarging and improving the public library building in said city,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 575 (file No. 214), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 11 of act No. 164 of public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act," the same being section 5141 of Howell's Annotated Statutes, relative to libraries in school districts,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Education and public schools.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 134 (file No. 140), entitled

A bill to prohibit the use of the four wheeled caboose or "jumper" on any of the railroads of this State, and to provide a penalty therefor,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take effect Sept. 1, 1893, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Railroads,

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 838 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to amend section one of act No. 147 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a county commissioner of schools, for the appointment of school examiners, and to define the duties and fix the compensation for the same, and to repeal all existing acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act," approved June 14, 1891,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Education and public schools.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to retransmit to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of three members of the House and two from the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, with power and authority to send for persons, books and papers and employ expert and clerical help if necessary, to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural College and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking towards an increase in and enlargement of the usefulness of the institution,

Which the Senate amended to read as follows:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of three members of the House and three from the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, with power and authority to send for persons, books and papers, and employ expert and clerical help if necessary, to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural College and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking toward an increase in and the enlargement of the usefulness of the institution.

And to inform the Senate that in said amendment the House has non-concurred,

And further to inform the Senate that Messrs. Linderman, Chamberlain and Holdridge have been appointed a committee on the part of the House to act with a like committee on the part of the Senate to consider the matter of difference between the two Houses.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The resolution was laid on the table.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:
House bill No. 302, entitled

A bill to confer power and authority upon the common council of the village of Hancock to purchase and acquire property and to erect all proper and necessary structures in connection therewith, without as well as within the corporate limits of said village, and to hold and maintain the same for the sole purpose of supplying said village and the inhabitants thereof with water,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:
House bill No. 835, entitled

A bill authorizing the city council of the city of Escanaba to make a reassessment to defray the expenses of public improvements in street paving on Ludington street and other streets of said city,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:
House bill No. 833, entitled

A bill authorizing the city council of the city of Escanaba to make a reassessment to defray the expenses of the construction of a sidewalk bordering on lots 24, 25, 26, of block 6, in said city of Escanaba,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been

ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 832, entitled

A bill authorizing the city council of the city of Escanaba to make a reassessment to defray the expenses of a public improvement upon Ludington street and other streets of said city,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 413 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 225 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton, now comprising the fifth judicial circuit," the same being section 6522d1 of the third volume of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 402 (file No. 280), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Ann Arbor, revise the charter of said city, and repeal all conflicting acts relating thereto," being act No. 331 of the session laws of 1889, approved March 15, 1889, and adding thereto seven new sections as amended by act No. 262 of the local acts of 1891, approved March 28, 1891, by amending sections 1, 69, 181 and 184 of said charter,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 893 (file No. 219), entitled

A bill to amend section 32 of chapter 189 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 125 of the session laws of 1877, being section 7578 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the return and summoning of jurors,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 202 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of act No. 38 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to amend act No. 82 of the session laws of 1873," approved April 15, 1873, by adding one new section thereto, to stand as section 22, providing for the organizing of mutual fire insurance companies to insure property in cities and villages exclusively,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Insurance.

The temporary President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 936, entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation of $2,000 for an exhibit of the work of the public schools of Michigan at the World's Fair,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Education and public schools.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Burt moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 71 (file No. 191) entitled

A bill to amend section five of chapter one hundred and sixty-five of the revised statutes of one thousand eight hundred and forty-six as amended, relative to trials in criminal cases, the same being compiler's section nine thousand five hundred and sixty-three of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Pierce
Burt	Hough	Sabin
Clark	Jewell	Sawyer
Doran	McLaughlin	Steel
Fleshiem	Mears	Turnbull
French	Mellen	Weiss
Garvelink	Pascoe	Temp. President

NAYS

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Clapp	Mr. Crane	3

Title agreed to.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 554 (file No. 141) entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to exempt sewing machines from levy and sale on execution," approved March 13, 1861, being section 7717 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe
Burt	Gibson	Pierce
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin
Clapp	Hough	Sawyer
Clark	Jewell	Turnbull
Crane	McLaughlin	Weiss
Doran	Mears	Temp. President
Fleshiem	Mellen	26

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Burt moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section one of act number one hundred forty-three of the session laws of eighteen hundred sixty-one entitled "An act to exempt sewing machines from levy and sale on execution," approved March 13, 1861, being section 7717 of Howell's annotated statutes;

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Senate joint resolution No. 21, entitled

Joint resolution for the relief of Albert B. Judd,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe
Burt	Gibson	Pierce
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin
Clapp	Hough	Sawyer
Clark	Jewell	Steel
Crane	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Doran	Mears	Weiss
Fleshiem	Mellen	Temp. President 27

NAYS. 0

Title and preamble agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 104 (file No. 38), entitled

A bill making it unlawful for foreign insurance comanies, legally admitted to do business in the State of Michigan, to place or cause to be placed iusurance on property in the State of Michigan, in offices outside of the State of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	French	Pascoe
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce
Champion	Gibson	Sabin
Clapp	Hough	Sawyer

Mr. Clark	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Steel
Crane	Mears	Weiss
Doran	Mellen	Temp. President 24

NAYS 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Fleshiem moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill making it unlawful for foreign fire, boiler, plate-glass or casualty insurance companies, legally admitted to do business in the State of Michigan, to place or cause to be placed, except through a duly licensed agent in this State, insurance on property in the State of Michigan, in offices outside the State of Michigan;

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take effect July 1, 1893.

Senate bill No. 316 (file No. 205), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 159, session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland waters of this State," approved June 24, 1891,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe
Bruudage	Garvelink	Pierce
Burt	Gibson	Sabin
Champion	Gilbert	Sawyer
Clapp	Jewell	Steel
Clark	McLaughlin	Weiss
Crane	Mears	Temp. President
Fleshiem	Mellen	23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 414 (file No. 200), entitled

A bill providing that all persons employing female help in stores shall provide seats for the same when not actively employed,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow
Champion	Hough	Sabin
Clapp	Jewell	Steel
Doran	McLaughlin	Temp. President 15

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Pascoe
French	Mellen	Sawyer 6

Mr. Brundage moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Pending which Mr. Pierce moved to lay the motion on the table, and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Pierce
Fleshiem	Pascoe	Sawyer
French		7

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gibson	Sabin
Champion	Hough	Steel
Clapp	Jewell	Weiss
Clark	McLaughlin	Temp. President
Doran		16

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Brundage to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Mr. Pierce demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to reconsider then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gibson	Sabin
Champion	Hough	Steel
Clapp	Jewell	Weiss
Clark	McLaughlin	Temp. President
Doran	Mears	17

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Pierce
Fleshiem	Mellen	Sawyer
French	Pascoe	8

The question being on the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The further consideration of the bill was made the special order for Tuesday, April 25, at 3 o'clock p. m.

House bill No. 245, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for additional buildings for the Michigan Mining School at Houghton, Michigan, for the further equipment of the same, and for the support and maintenance of said mining school for the years 1893 and 1894, and to amend section 7 of act No. 239 of the public acts of the State of Michigan of the year 1887, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the Mining School at Houghton, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, including all permanent fixtures, heating and lighting apparatus," etc., approved June 24, 1887,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Morrow moved to amend the bill by inserting at the end of line 6, Sec. 7, after the word "services" the words "not exceeding $5 per day for each day's service."

Pending the adoption of which,

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 49 (file No. 48), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of article 4 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe
Burt	Hough	Sabin
Clark	Jewell	Sawyer
Crane	McLaughlin	Steel
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss
French	Mellen	Temp. President
Garvelink	Morrow	21

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage 1

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 33 (file No. 6), entitled

A bill to amend sections 14 and 15 of act No. 59 of the laws of 1851, relative to the incorporated telegraph companies, being sections 3706 and 3707 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1883,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnand	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin
Clapp	Hough	Steel
Clark	Jewell	Turnbull
Crane	McLaughlin	Weiss
Doran	Mears	Temp. President
Fleshiem		25

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Weiss moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 14 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of telegraph companies" being act No. 59 of the laws of 1851, approved March 26, 1851, being sections 3706 and 3707 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1883,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Senate bill No. 428 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act number 230, laws of 1885, approved June 20, 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of the introduction and spread of cholera and other dangerous and communicable diseases," and to add four new sections thereto to stand as sections 4, 5, 6 and 7,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin
Clapp	Hough	Steel
Clark	Jewell	Turnbull
Crane	McLaughlin	Weiss
Doran	Mears	Temp. President

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NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Clark moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 483, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 264 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act relative to disorderly persons, and to repeal chapter 53 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof,

Which motion prevailed;

On motion of Mr. Clark,

The bill was referred to the committe on Judiciary.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Hough to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee arose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 266 (file No. 207), entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for special investigation and inspections, and otherwise to increase the efficiency of the State board of health in restricting dangerous diseases.

Senate bill No. 179 (file No. 202), entitled

A bill authorizing the judge of probate of the county of St. Clair to appoint a register, prescribing his powers and duties and fixing his compensation.

House bill No. 152 (file No. 257), entitled

A bill to authorize the Lansing city electric railway company to extend its electric street railway in the township of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, in and along the highway extending from the eastern terminus of Michigan avenue in the city of Lansing, to the grounds of the Michigan Agricultural College; to regulate the construction and operation thereof, and to provide a penalty for the obstruction of said railway,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

House bill No. 438 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4 and 8 of an act of the Legislature of 1893, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Hudson, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts relative to the incorporation of the village of Hudson, and the common council of the village of Hudson," approved February 16, 1893, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 14 of said act,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 796 (file No. 157), entitled

A bill to provide for the government of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane and the inmates therein, and to repeal act 190, laws of 1883 and all acts amendatory thereto, and all of that portion of act 140, laws of 1891, which conflicts with this act, being an act entitled "An act to provide for a State board of inspectors who shall perform the duties now performed by the advisory board in matters of pardons and who shall have the complete management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia, the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform School for Boys at Lansing and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to abolish all existing boards and to annul all existing appointments,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

IV

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 190 (file No. 173), entitled

A bill to amend section one of act one hundred and eighty-two of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, relative to the payment of a franchise fee by corporations,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the committee on Judiciary.

L. C. HOUGH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

The question being on concurring in the recommendation of the committee regarding the second named bill,

Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr Barnard	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Sabin
Brundage	McLaughlin	Sawyer
French	Mears	Steel
Garvelink	Pascoe	Weiss
Gibson	Pierce	Temp. President 15

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Mellen
Champion	Gilbert	Morrow
Clark	Hough	Turnbull 9

And the second named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the third named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the fourth named bill, and the same was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Gilbert moved that the Senate adjourn;

Which motion prevailed, and

The Temporary President declared the Senate adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m., tomorrow.

Lansing, Thursday, April 20, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by President *pro tem.*

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Fleshiem and McLaughlin.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Fleshiem from today's session on account of sickness.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. McLaughlin for the remainder of this week on account of sickness.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Mr. Morrow sent up and had read by the Secretary a protest, which the President *pro tem.* ruled was not such a protest as could be received and entered upon the Journal of the Senate for the reason that he protested against something which the Journal showed was not the fact,

Whereupon,

Mr. Clapp appealed from the decision of the chair.

The question then being,

"Shall the decision of the chair stand as the judgment of the Senate?"

Mr. Clapp demanded the yeas and nays thereon and

The chair was sustained, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	French	Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clark	Hough	Sawyer	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Doran	Mears	Turnbull	
Earle	Mellen	Weiss	27

NAYS.

Mr. McGinley	1

Mr. Turnbull moved to correct the Senate Journal of yesterday by striking out of lines 2 and 3 thereof the words "the Secretary," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Senator Fox."

Pending which,

Mr. Fox moved that the motion of Mr. Turnbull be laid on the table,

On which Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays and the motion to lay on the table then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Clapp	Gibson	Pascoe	
Earle	Jewell	Sabin	
Fox	McGinley	Sawyer	
French			13

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Doran	Morrow		11

No. 172. By Mr. McGinley: Protest of Christian Lombardt, jr., August Fischer, Robert Stark, and others, against the passage of prohibitory laws in regard to taking a smile.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,
The protest was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

Forestville, Mich., April 12, 1892.

Hermann Leonhardt, Charles H. Weber, jr., Christ. Leonhardt, jr., and others, assembled at a meeting at Christ. Leonhardt, sr. house, have concluded to organize for the purpose to denounce any prohibitory laws in regard to liberty of taking a smile, being of German birth and it being our custom to indulge, how can such liberty be forbidden?

Referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

No. 173. By Mr. McGinley: Petition of G. C. Vincent, M. D. Heath and other citizens of Deckerville, praying for the passage of the bill making an appropriation for the improvement of Black river.

On motion of Mr. McGinley the petition was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

To the Hon. Chas. H. McGinley, Senator Twentieth District, Mich.:

The undersigned, your petitioners, having learned that the bill for an appropriation to drain Black river, has passed the House, are now becoming deeply interested in its passage through the Senate. Your petitioners feel that they should in this way assure you of their earnestness as to the great importance of this appropriation to the public health of Sanilac county. You have undoubtedly been informed already that the entire district through which Black river so sluggishly flows is said by the best of our local medical authorities to be polluted with germs of disease produced by an abundance of stagnant water lying in the adjacent swamps continuously during the year.

Further, your petitioners are confident that you will be indefatigable in your indeavors to urge the importance of the Black river bill to your fellow Senators and that your most sanguine efforts in the interest of your constituents, will be rewarded with success; thereby conferring an everlasting benefit to the public health of the inhabitants of this locality.

Referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

No. 174. By Mr. McGinley: Petition of Gaige, Aitkin and Davis, John H. Farley and other citizens of Carsonville on the same subject.

Referred to a committee on Finance and appropriations.

No. 175. By Mr. McGinley: Petition of John Dawson, Fred J. Benedict and other citizens of Sanilac Center on the same subject.

Referred to committee on Finance and appropriations.

No. 176. By Mr. Pascoe: Protest of the Iron Mountain common council against the passage of a bill increasing the representation of the city of Norway on the board of supervisors of Iron county.

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,
The petition was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

Iron Mountain, Mich,, April 18, 1893.

Hon. Peter Pascoe, Esq., Lansing, Mich.:

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of the city council of the city of Iron Mountain, held on the 17th day of April, 1893, the following resolution was adopted, viz.:

WHEREAS, The city of Iron Mountain, having a population 9,000 people and pays over forty per cent of the county taxes; and

WHEREAS, Said city has only five wards, thereby giving it only five representatives on the board of supervisors; and

WHEREAS, We understand the city of Noway, having a population of only 4,000 people, has introduced a bill in the Legislature seeking to increase its representation on said board of supervisors, it already having three members of said board;

Resolved, That we protest against such an injustice, for the reason that the representation of the city of Norway on said board of supervisors would be out of proportion to its population and to the amount of county taxes it has to pay;

Resolved, That a copy of this protest be forwarded to our representatives in the Legislature.

R. TH. MILLER, *City Clerk*.

Referred to the committee on Counties and townships.

No. 177. By Mr. Mears: Petition of Will Barry, J. Z. Stanley and six other residents of Harrietta, Wexford county, for the passage of the bill requiring the filing of notes, contracts etc.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

No. 178. By Mr. Mears: Petition of Thos. Wilson, William Foster and 19 other residents of Sherman, Wexford county, for the passage of the bill requiring the filing of notes, contracts, etc.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations to whom was referred the following House concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, In 1881 a work entitled "Michigan and its resources" was published by the State of Michigan, 12,000 copies being issued, and so great was the demand for the work that the supply was exhausted in April 1882. More than three-fourths were sent out of the State, resulting in a great benefit to the state in bringing in capital and citizens and developing the State.

A second edition was issued in 1882 which edition was soon exhausted.

AND WHEREAS, A large number of requests have been sent to the Secretary of State from outside the State for said work, making it necessary for the Secretary to issue a card announcing the fact that there were none left of the issue;

AND WHEREAS, Manufacturers from other states are asking for information in relation to the resources of the State, with a view of making investments and locating manufacturing industries within this State;

AND WHEREAS, This is Columbian year and it is very desirable to place Michigan fairly before the world; therefore be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the Secretary of State be and is hereby directed to recompile and reissue said work, incorporating therein such historical, statistical and local matter, with illustrations, as will constitute a valuable book of reference, giving such information as is desired by persons outside the State, and should be familiar to our own residents, giving the special resources and advantages of each county separately.

That there shall be 8,000 copies issued for distribution at the Columbian Exposition at Chicago; 2,680 copies for distribution from the office of the Secretary of State; 1,320 copies for distribution by Senators and members of the Legislature.

The expenses to be paid by the Board of State Auditors as other printing bills are paid.

That the cost of printing, binding and electrotyping said publication shall not exceed the sum of $2,500,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the resolution be adopted, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G FOX, *Chairman.*

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

The Senate concurred.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred the subject of mileage

Beg leave to make a supplemental report, and that mileage be allowed Isaac Harris (janitor) for 238 miles.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and adopted.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations to whom was referred House bill No. 156 (file No. 230), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 334, entitled

A bill to make an annual appropriation for the publication of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the superintendents of the poor for this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By a majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

Senate bill No. 91 (file No. 32), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to provide for ths organization of the Supreme court, pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution as amended," so as to provide for the election of five additional justices for the supreme court, and for the division of the supreme court into 2 sections, being sections 6382, 6384 and 6392 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill being a bill to amend sections 1, 3 and 13 of an act to provide for the organization of the supreme court, approved February 16, 1857, being sections 6382, 6384 and 6394 of Howell's statutes, and to repeal section 1 of act No. 40 of the session laws of 1867, providing for the reorganization of the supreme court, being section 6401 of Howell's statutes,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 303 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill prohibiting the transportation of fish outside of the State which are caught in any of the waters of the counties of Branch or St. Joseph,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning and deepening Black river, in Sanilac county for sanitary purposes, and providing and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of said State Board of Health,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate and recommend that the bill be referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

Mr. Pierce rose to a question of privilege and stated that although being

a member of the Judiciary committee, he had no information as to the intention of the committee to report back the above named bill.

Mr. Doran also rose to a question of privilege and made the same statement as to himself.

Mr. McGinley moved that the committee on Finance and appropriations be discharged from the further consideration of the above named bill.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was then re-referred to the committee on judiciary.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 879, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Davison, in the county of Genesee, to borrow money for the purpose of making public improvements in said village,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendment thereto, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Burt moved to amend the bill by striking out in line 1, section 3, the words "a majority," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two-thirds."

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Crane,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 105 (file No. 39), entitled

A bill to amend section 51 of chapter 7, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," being act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, as amended,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 832, entitled

A bill authorizing the city council of the city of Escanaba to make a reassessment to defray the expense of a public improvement, upon Ludington street and other streets of said city,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe
Burt	Gilbert	Sabin
Champion	Hough	Sawyer
Clark	Jewell	Steel
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull
Earle	Mears	Weiss
Fox	Mellen	President *pro tem.*
French	Morrow	26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 833, entitled

A bill authorizing the city council of the city of Escanaba to make a reassessment to defray the expense of the construction of a sidewalk bordering on lots 24, 25 and 26 of block 6 in said city of Escanaba.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe
Burt	Gilbert	Sabin

Mr. Champion	Mr. Hough	Mr. Sawyer
Clark	Jewell	Steel
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull
Doran	Mears	Weiss
Earle	Mellen	President *pro tem.*
Fox	Morrow	26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 835, entitled

A bill authorizing the city council of the city of Escanaba to make a reassessment to defray the expense of public improvements in street paving on Ludington street in said city,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideretion of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford
Burt	Gilbert	Pascoe
Clark	Hough	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer
Doran	McGinley	Steel
Earle	Mears	Trurbull
Fox	Mellen	Weiss
French	Morrow	President *pro tem.*
Garvelink		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent, the Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Crane moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 879, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Davison, in the county of Genesee, to borrow money for the purpose of making public improvements in said village;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe
Burt	Hough	Pierce
Crane	Jewell	Sabin
Doran	McGinley	Sawyer
Earle	Mears	Steel
Fox	Mellen	Turnbull
French	Morrow	Weiss
Garvelink	Mugford	President *pro tem.*

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NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on State Library:

The committee on State Library, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 88, entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of act No. 40. of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act for the republication and sale of such of the reports of the Supreme Court of the State as are or may become out of print and have not been stereotyped; and to repeal act No. 217 of the session laws of 1875, being an act entitled 'An act to provide for the republication and sale of such of the reports of the Supreme Court of this State as are or may become out of print,'" approved May 3, 1875, being section 7226 of 2d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan of 1882,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. F. SAWYER, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Public health:

The committee on Public health, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 464, entitled

A bill to regulate the practice of medicine in this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5 and 9 of act No. 134 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Michigan," approved June 2, 1885,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

M. SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on Religious and benevolent societies, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 143, entitled

A bill to amend section 1755 of chapter 58 of the compiled laws of 1857, as amended by act 32 of the public acts of 1871, as amended by act 80 of the public acts of 1881, the same being section 4588 of chapter 165 of Howell's annotated statutes, and being an act for the incorporation of charitable societies,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 216 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill to amend an act, entitled "An act to regulate express companies and their agents, and individuals prosecuting the express business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan," approved March 27, 1867, by adding one new section thereto, to stand as section 7,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 234 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, Senator Doran dissenting, entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments of this State, to provide for the inspection and regulation of such manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the enforcement of such regulation and inspection,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Elections:

The committee on Elections to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 14 (file No. 2), entitled

A bill to revise and re-enact section 114, and sections 115 and 116 as amended by act No. 1 of the public acts of 1888, approved January 11, 1889, the same being sections 83, 84 and 85 of chapter 6 of the compiled laws of 1871, and consecutive sections 240, 241 and 242 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to electors of President and Vice President of the United States,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject, Senator Doran dissenting.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, April 19, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 103 (file No. 190), being

An act to provide for the construction of a coal house and purchase of one machinist's lathe for the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the superintendent of said asylum,

Very respectfully,

JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 44 (file No. 23), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the supreme commandery and subordinate commanderies of the United Friends of Michigan,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 183 (file No. 79), entitled

A bill to authorize the county of Menominee to aid in the construction and manintenance of a bridge across the Menominee river,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 248 (file No. 72), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used," being act No. 136 of the session laws of 1887, the same being compiler's sections 1691, 1692, of volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take effect January 1, 1894, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Labor interests.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 844, entitled

A bill to change the name of Jessie Woolley to Jessie Elizabeth Fisher,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and pending its reference,

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce
Burt	Hough	Sabin
Champion	Jewell	Sawyer
Clapp	McGinley	Steel
Earle	Mears	Turnbull
Fox	Mellen	Weiss
French	Mugford	President *pro tem.*

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NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 827 (file No. 222), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Pinconning in Bay county to borrow money to make public improvements in said township and to issue bonds therefor,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Counties and townships.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sabin moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 245, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for additional buildings for the Michigan Mining School at Houghton, Michigan, for the further equipment of the same, and for the support and maintenance of said mining school for the years 1893 and 1894, and to amend section 7 of act number 239 of the public acts of the State of Michigan of the year 1887, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the Mining School at Houghton, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, including all permanent fixtures, heating and lighting apparatus, etc.," approved June 24, 1887;

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon the motion of Mr. Morrow to amend the bill by inserting at the end of line 6, Sec. 7, after the word "services" the words "not exceeding $5 per day for each day's service;"

The motion did not prevail.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr Sawyer moved to amend the same by striking out of line 2 of section 2 the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten;"

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce
Burt	Garvelink	Sabin
Clapp	Gibson	Sawyer
Crane	Hough	Steel
Doran	McGinley	Weiss
Earle	Mears	President *Pro tem*
Fox	Pascoe	20

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Weiss moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 101 (file No. 36), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of 1881, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 2 of said act;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Mr. Mears moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 431, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Boyne Falls in Charlevoix county;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The bill was referred to the committee on cities and villages.

Mr. Fox moved to take from the table the following House concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of three members from the House and two from the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, with power and authority to send for persons, books and papers and employ expert and clerical help if necessary, to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural College and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking towards an increase in and enlargement of the usefulness of the institution.

Which the Senate had amended to read as follows:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of three members of the House and three from the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, with power and authority to send for persons, books and papers, and employ expert and clerical help if necessary, to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural college and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking toward an increase in and the enlargement of the usefulness of the institution,

And in which said amendment the House had non-concurred;

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Steel moved that the Senate insist upon its said amendment and request a committee of conference;

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Steel moved that a committee of three Senators be appointed to act with a like committee on the part of the House to consider the matter of difference between the two Houses;

Which motion prevailed.

The President *pro tem.* announced as such committee on the part of the Senate Messrs. Steel, Fox and Morrow.

Mr. Sabin offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Much of the practice of the two houses of this Legislature depends upon customs, precedents, modes of procedure and unwritten law; and

WHEREAS, There is now no means whereby a new member can familiarize himself with such practice, except by actual contact with it after he takes his seat, thereby involving much waste of time at the beginning of every session; and

WHEREAS, An official hand-book of such practice would greatly facilitate the dispatch of business and effect a great saving in the time of legislators and thus tend to shorten the sessions of the Legislature; therefore

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That Lewis M. Miller, the Clerk of the present House of Representatives, be and is hereby authorized to prepare and publish an official hand-book of the practice of the Michigan Legislature, based upon constitutional provisions, parliamentary law, statutes, judicial decisions, rules and joint rules and the unwritten laws of procedure as established by custom and precedents;

Resolved, That five hundred copies of such work, published in book form similar to the Legislative manual and substantially bound, be purchased by the State of Michigan, at a price not to exceed $1.50 per volume, to be delivered to the Secretary of State for distribution as follows: Two hundred copies to be sent, one copy each, to the members and officers of the present Legislature; two hundred copies to be delivered to the Secretary of State to be sent, one copy each, to the members and officers of the Legislature of 1895, immediately upon their election; and the remaining one hundred copies to be placed in the State library for the use of said library and for exchanges;

Resolved, That the Auditor General be and is hereby authorized and instructed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer for the sum necessary to purchase said five hundred copies, upon presentation to him of the certificate of the Secretary of State that such volumes have been published, bound and delivered to him, as contemplated by this resolution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The resolution was referred to the committee on Rules and joint rules.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 37), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the soliciting or issuing of unauthorized fire or inland marine insurance policies in this State," approved May 12, 1881, the same being compiler's section No. 4354 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin
Clapp	Hough	Sawyer
Crane	Jewell	Steel
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull
Earle	Mears	Weiss
Fox	Mugford	President *pro tem.*
French		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 266 (file No. 207), entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for special investigation and inspections, and otherwise to increase the efficiency of the State Board of Health in restricting dangerous diseases,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce
Burt	Hough	Sabin
Champion	Jewell	Sawyer
Clapp	McGinley	Steel
Crane	Mears	Turnbull
Doran	Morrow	Weiss
Earle	Mugford	President *pro tem.*
Fox		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 179 (file No. 202), entitled

A bill authorizing the judge of probate of the county of St. Clair to appoint a register, prescribing his powers and duties and fixing his compensation,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. French moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 7 of section 1 after the word "county" the words "provided that any such register may be removed at any time and another appointed in his place by said judge;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Morrow moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinately postponed.

On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Morrow	Mr. Mugford
Clark		4

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	French	Pascoe
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer
Doran	McGinley	Weiss
Earle	Mears	President *pro tem.*
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The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows;

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce
Burt	Gibson	Sabin
Clapp	Hough	Sawyer
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull
Doran	McGinley	Weiss
Earle	Mears	President *pro tem.*
Fox		22

NAYS

Mr. Mellen 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. French,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 152 (file No. 257), entitled

A bill to authorize the Lansing City Electric Railway Company to extend its electric street railway in the township of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, in and along the highway extending from the eastern terminus of Michigan avenue, in the city of Lansing, to the grounds of the Michigan Agricultural College; to regulate the construction and operation thereof, and to provide a penalty for the obstruction of said railway.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford
Champion	Gibson	Pierce
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin
Clark	Hough	Sawyer
Crane	Jewell	Steel
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull
Earle	Mears	Weiss
Fox	Mellen	President *pro tem.*
French	Morrow	26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 438 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4 and 8 of an act of the Legislature of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Hudson and to repeal all acts and parts of acts relative to the incorporation of the village of Hudson and the common council of the village of Hudson," approved February 16, 1893, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 14 of said act,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Morrow moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to indefinitely postpone then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows;

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford
Champion	Mellen	Turnbull
Clark	Morrow	President *pro tem.*
Doran		10

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Sabin
Earle	Jewell	Sawyer
Fox	McGinley	Steel
French	Mears	Weiss
Garvelink	Pascoe	14

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Morrow moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate ordered the bill laid on the table, on which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to reconsider then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Mears	Mr. Mugford
Champion	Mellen	Weiss
Gilbert	Morrow	8

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. Pascoe
Clapp	French	Sabin
Clark	Garvelink	Sawyer
Crane	Gibson	Steel
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull
Earle	McGinley	President *pro tem.* 18

House bill No. 796 (file No. 157), entitled

A bill to provide for the government of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane and the inmates therein, and to repeal act 190, laws of 1883 and all acts amendatory thereto, and all of that portion of act 140, laws of 1891, which conflicts with this act, being an act entitled "An act to provide for a State board of inspectors who shall perform the duties now performed by the advisory board in matters of pardons and who shall have the complete management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia, the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform School for Boys at Lansing and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to abolish all existing boards and to annul all existing appointments.

Pending third reading of which,
On motion of Mr. Sabin,
The bill was laid on the table.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,
The Senate went into committee of the whole, on the general order.
Whereupon the President *pro tem.* called Mr. Pierce to the chair.
After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No. 10 (file No. 149), entitled
A bill to compel the use of safety valves on all cylinders, drums, or other vessels, appliances, or receptacles for holding, containing and confining carbonic acid gas, nitrous oxide gas, and like aeriform substances.
House bill No. 182 (file No. 134), entitled
A bill to amend act No. 166 of the session laws of 1891, entitled "An act for the protection of fish in the lakes and streams of the county of St. Joseph, State of Michigan, for the period of two years from and after the passage of this act," approved June 26, 1891.
Senate bill No. 105 (file No. 39), entitled
A bill to amend section fifty-one of chapter seven, of an act entitled, "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith, being act number three hundred and twenty-six of the session laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-three, approved June seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-three as amended,
Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No. 333 (file No. 188), entitled
A bill to amend section 1, of act No. 171, of the laws of Michigan for the year 1873, entitled "An act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended, being compiler's section 9894, of third Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,
Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the House, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No. 437 (file No. 95), entitled
A bill regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations.
Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that it be reprinted and re-referred to the committee of the whole.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regard- to the third named bill, and the same was ordered re-printed, and re-referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Gibson moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President *pro tem.* declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Friday, April 21, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President *pro tem.*

Roll called: quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 179. By Mr. Sabin: Petition of 333 citizens of Branch and Kalamazoo counties, asking that separate boards of control be given to the penal and reformatory institutions of the State; and furthermore, that the boards be composed of male and female members, to be appointed by the Governor.

Referred to committee on State affairs.

No. 180. By Mr. Gilbert: Petition of G. H. Merrill and others asking for the passage of Senate bill No. 237.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert the petition was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

Bay City, Mich., March 29, 1893.

To the Hon. Peter Gilbert, Senate Chamber, Lansing, Mich.:

The undersigned citizens of Bay City, believing in the medical cure of inebriety, and that the treatment and cure of inebriates liable to become a public charge in jails, reformatories and work-houses, would be a great saving to the tax payers of the State, hereby request that you will favor a bill now before the legislature, by which upon giving proper bonds for his or her compliance with the required conditions of a cure, a person convicted of drunkenness may take such cure at the county expense instead of the usual sentence, the offender to be liable to arrest and recommitment should he or she forfeit the terms of his or her recognizance.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

No. 181. By Mr. Gilbert: Petition of Mrs. C. B. Curtis and several other tax-paying women on the same subject.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

No. 182. By Mr. Gilbert: Petition of Jos. Leighton and 30 others on the same subject.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

No. 183. By Mr. McGinley: Petition of Jos. Morris, Geo. A. McDonald, W. A. Mills and others asking for the passage of the Black river improvement bill.

On motion of Mr. McGinley the bill was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

Minden City, Mich., April 14, 1893.

To the Hon. Chas. H. McGinley, Senator Twentieth District Michigan:

The undersigned, your petitioners, having learned that the bill for an appropriation to drain Black river, has passed the House, are now becoming deeply interested in its passage through the Senate. Your petitioners feel that they should in this way assure you of their earnestness as to the great importance of this appropriation to the public health of Sanilac county. You have undoubtedly been informed already that the entire district through which Black river so sluggishly flows is said by the best of our local medical authorities to be polluted with germs of disease produced by an abundance of stagnant water lying in the adjacent swamps continuously during the year.

Further, Your petitioners are confident that you will be indefatigable in your endeavors to urge the importance of the Black river bill to your fellow Senators, and that your most sanguine efforts in the interest of your constituents, will be rewarded with success, thereby conferring an everlasting benefit to the public health of the inhabitants of this locality.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 39 (file No. 9), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of companies to issue abstracts, certificates and guarantees of title, and to define their powers and duties,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of companies to issue abstracts, certificates and guarantees of title, and to define their powers and duties,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 70 (file No. 146), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 118 of the revised statutes of 1846 entitled, "The voluntary dissolution of corporations and of the abatement of suits by and against them," being compiler's chapter 282 of 2d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, by adding a new section to said chapter 118, to stand as section 39,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By inserting in line 22 section 39 after the word "showing" the following:

Provided further, That upon the filing of said bond with approval as aforesaid, the appeal shall be deemed perfected and the register in chancery shall on payment of five dollars to him on behalf of the appellant, make return to the supreme court and the supreme court shall have power to hear and determine such appeal and all matters concerning the same and shall have power to reverse, affirm or alter the order or decree appealed from and to make such other order or decree therein as shall be just, in like manner and with like effect as on appeals in suits in chancery according to the existing statutes of the State of Michigan and the rules of the supreme court in such case made and provided, and *Provided further*, That the supreme court while any suit shall be pending therein, may on special motion give give such directions as to said court shall seem proper concerning any stay of proceedings cause by the appeal,

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe
Champion	Gibson	Pierce
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin
Clark	Hough	Sawyer
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull

Mr. Doran	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Weiss
Earle	Mellen	President *pro tem.*
Fox	Morrow	26

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On motion of Mr. Doran,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from today's session.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 497, entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of local acts No. 292 of the acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan for 1879, entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Plymouth, county of Wayne, State of Michigan,"

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 428 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act number 230, laws of 1885, approved June 20, 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of the introduction and spread of cholera and other dangerous communicable diseases," and to add four new sections thereto to stand as sections 4, 5, 6 and 7,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 21, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, One of the new cruisers of the United States navy has been named the "Detroit" a compliment to the city of Detroit and State of Michigan which our citizens fully appreciate; and

WHEREAS, The report of the trial trip of the "Detroit" shows her to be a vessel of uncommon speed, the naval experts considering the ship to be one of the fastest in the world; therefore be it

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the congratulations of the Legislature are hereby extended to Hon. Wm. T. Maltster, president of the company that built the "Detroit" and to the Baltimore ship builders and the designers and constructors of the "Detroit," for this great success and as indicative of the pride the people of Michigan feel in the naval triumph that they have attained.

And that a copy of the resolution signed by the presiding officers of the two Houses be engrossed and forwarded to the Hon. Wm. T. Maltster,

Which has been adopted by the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Doran moved that the resolution be laid upon the table;

Which motion prevailed.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 174, entitled

A bill to provide for the location, establishment and organization of an asylum for the insane in the upper peninsula,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on State affairs.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 67 (file No. 67), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 70, of the public acts of 1877, entitled "An act for the more effectual prevention of cruelty to animals," approved April 25, 1877, being section 9392 of Howell's annotated statutes,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

By striking off of the end of section 2 the manuscript proviso added by the Senate and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "*Provided*, That no bounty shall be paid for any English sparrow that may be killed when used as a target, or to be shot at either for amusement or as a test of skill in marksmanship: *Provided*, That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to engage in the propagation of English sparrows for the purpose allowed in this act, or for any other purpose, and that on conviction for each or any offense mentioned in this act the person or persons so convicted shall pay a fine of not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars, or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period of not more than ninety days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court,"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	French	Pascoe
Burt	Garvelink	Sabin
Champion	Hough	Steel
Clapp	Jewell	Turnbull
Clark	Mellen	Weiss
Doran	Morrow	President *pro tem.*
Earle		22

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Mr. Crane 1

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 132 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to provide for the erection of two cottages for patients, to purchase lands, to erect a barn, at the Northern Michigan Asylum, Traverse City, Michigan, and making appropriations therefor,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Asylums for the insane.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 21, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 212, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Warren, in the county of Macomb and State of Michigan,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By striking out of line 3 of section 2 the word "second" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "third,"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Mellen,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce
Burt	Gibson	Sabin
Champion	Hough	Sawyer
Clapp	Jewell	Steel
Crane	Mears	Weiss
Earle	Mellen	President *pro tem.*
Fox	Mugford	23

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 21, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for building one new colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and settings, for a water tower, and for new engines and settings at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

1. By inserting in lines 6 and 7 of section 1 the words, "for electric lighting, eighteen thousand dollars."

2. By inserting in line 1 of section 3 the word "forty-five," in lieu of the word "thirty-six."

3. By inserting in line 3 of section 3 the word "forty-five" in lieu of the word "thirty-six,"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was referred to the committee on Asylums for the insane.

Mr. Clark rose to a question of privilege which he stated in the following protest, which was ordered spread on the Journal:

To the Honorable President of the Senate:

On Wednesday, April 19, the Senate was called to order by Senator Fox taking the gavel and rapping, calling to order and directing the Secretary to call the roll, which the Secretary proceeded to do, announcing a quorum present. Immediately Senator Morrow sent to the Secretary a protest against the usurpation of Senator Fox and asked that it be considered before any business was proceeded with, which protest was read by the Secretary, whereupon Senator Garvelink then nominated Senator Fox as temporary Speaker, while this protest was in the hands of the Secretary, the Secretary paying no heed to Senator Morrow's motion or his protest, but put the motion of Senator Garvelink, which he declared carried *viva voce.* Whereupon Senator Fox promptly declared the protest of Senator Morrow out of order, being addressed to the Secretary. This was to my mind a high handed usurpation of authority on the part of Senator Fox against which I desire to protest.

On Tuesday Senator Morrow sent up a protest against this procedure and the Speaker *pro tem.*, Senator Hopkins, was justified by a vote of the Senate in declaring this out of order because it did not protest against the proceedings of the Senate as shown in the Journal. Senator Turnbull then moved to correct the Journal of the Senate, which motion was tabled by 13 republicans voting for it, 9 democrats and two republicans against

the motion to table, four Senators who were present on the republican side not voting.

Against this proceeding I must protest, that the Journal of this Senate does not show the proceedings of this body on Wednesday. Not a Senator present will deny that this Senate should refuse to correct, it seems to me so great a wrong, and that the business of this Senate should be conducted in an orderly manner. I feel compelled to file this my protest, and ask it spread upon the Journal.

M. W. CLARK, *Senator 10th Dist.*

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Steel moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 298 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 152 of the session laws of 1889, being "An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 29 of the public acts of 1887," approved March 15, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows;"

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Clark moved to amend the same by striking out of line 3 of amended section 1 the word "April" and inserting before the word "March" the word "and."

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	French	Pascoe
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce
Champion	Gibson	Sabin
Clapp	Gilbert	Sawyer
Clark	Hough	Steel
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull
Earle	Mellen	Weiss
Fleshiem	Morrow	President *pro tem.*

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Steel moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 152 of the session laws of 1889, being "An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 29 of the public acts of 1887," approved March 15, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows," as amended by act No. 152 of the public acts of 1889;

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Burt moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 498, entitled

A bill to fix a limitation of time in which claims or suits for personal injuries may be entered or maintained, and to repeal all laws inconsistent herewith.

Which motion prevailed.
On motion of Mr. Burt,
The bill was referred to the committee on Railroads.
By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:
The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred
House bill No. 302, entitled
A bill to confer power and authority upon the common council of the village of Hancock to purchase and acquire property and to erect all proper and necessary structures in connection therewith, without as well as within the corporate limits of said village, and to hold and maintain the same for the sole purpose of supplying said village and the inhabitants thereof with water,
Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.
On motion of Mr. Sawyer,
The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.
Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote thereon,
Mr. Burt moved that the bill be laid upon the table;
Which motion did not prevail.
The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Fox	Mugford
Burt	French	Pascoe
Champion	Garvelink	Pierce
Clapp	Gibson	Sawyer
Crane	Hough	Steel
Doran	Jewell	Weiss
Earle	Mellen	President *pro tem.* 24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.
On motion of Mr. Sawyer,
By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 10 (file No. 149), entitled
A bill to compel the use of safety valves on all cylinders, drums or other vessels, appliances, or receptacles for holding, containing and confining carbonic acid gas, nitrous oxide gas, and like aëriform substances,
Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,
Mr. Brundage moved that the bill be laid upon the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Brundage then moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 10 of section 1 after the word "substances" the words "while in transit;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Jewell moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 8 of section 1 after the word "valve" the words "or other equivalent safety device;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe
Champion	Gibson	Pierce
Clapp	Hough	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Weiss
Earle	McGinley	President *pro tem.*
Fox	Mears	20

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Mr. Brundage 1

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 182 (file No. 134), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 166 of the session laws of 1891, entitled "An act for the protection of fish in the lakes and streams of the county of St. Joseph, State of Michigan, for the period of two years from and after the passage of this act," approved June 26, 1891,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows.

YEAS

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe
Champion	Hough	Pierce
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin
Doran	McGinley	Sawyer
Earle	Mears	Steel
Fox	Mellen	Weiss
French	Morrow	President *pro tem.*
Garvelink	Mugford	23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 105 (file No. 39), entitled

A bill to amend section 51 of chapter 7, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith," being act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883, approved June 7, 1883 as amended,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 333 (file No. 188), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 171 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act establishing a State agency for juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended by act No. 37 of the public acts of 1875, as amended by act No. 168 of the session laws of 1885, as amended by act No. 295 of the session laws of 1887, amended by act No. 187 of the public acts of 1889, and being compiler's section No. 9894 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Pending third reading of which

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Counties and townships:

The committee on Counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 827 (file No. 222), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Pinconning, in Bay county, to borrow money to make public improvements in said township, and to issue its bonds therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendment, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. French,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe
Burt	Gilbert	Pierce
Champion	Hough	Sabin
Clapp	Jewell	Sawyer
Clark	Mears	Steel
Crane	Mellen	Weiss
Earle	Morrow	President *pro tem*
Fox		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Gibson moved that when the Senate adjourn today it stand adjourned until Monday, April 24, at 9 o'clock p. m;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate took a recess until two o'clock, p. m.

AFTER RECESS.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President *pro tem.*

A quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The president *pro tem.* announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, April 21, 1893.

To the Honorable, the Legislature of Michigan:

Inclosed find communication from Hon. Knute Nelson, Governor of Minnesota. Also copy of a joint resolution which has passed the Minnesota legislature, which I transmit for your consideration and such action as you may think proper.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The following is the communication from the Governor of Minnesota:

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
St. Paul, April 17, 1893.

To His Excellency, the Governor of Michigan:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to submit to you the enclosed copy of a joint resolution of the legislature of the State of Minnesota, in reference to a proposed inter-state conference touching widespread evils resulting from the unlawful combination or combinations, whereby the owners of coal lands, acting in conjunction with certain railroad corporations, have put up the price of coal, precluded competition, monoplized the markets and inflicted great injuries upon the consumers of this article, either for domestic use or manufacturing purposes. These evils have reached such proportions that no one State is able successfully to grapple with them; and the State of Minnesota and, I may say, its whole people are earnestly in favor of such a meeting of delegates at some central and convenient point, to consider the whole subject and suggest remedial measures to the legislatures of the respective states and to the Congress of the United States.

I would therefore respectfully urge the matter upon your attention, and earnestly request that you will, as soon as convenient, designate ten commissioners from and on behalf of your State, to meet with the ten com-

missioners of Minnesota on the first Monday of June next, at such place as may be mutually satisfactory to the governors of the different states. While our people will feel honored if the capitol of this State should be agreed upon, and the question of climate and temperature at that time of the year is worth considering, nevertheless, any other point will be satisfactory to me and the commissioners of this State.

If you do not feel at liberty, for any cause, to appoint ten commissioners a smaller number might represent your State and cast an equal vote with the rest. In case you do not think you have the power to make any such appointments, I have no doubt the conference would be most happy to have you attend in person on behalf of your State. It has been suggested that if there are any objections to St. Paul, the conference might be held at Chicago, as many citizens of your State will doubtless desire to be present at that time at the World's Fair, and you will therefore have no trouble in obtaining, if necessary, the voluntary service of delegates satisfactory to you.

There can be no doubt that if a conference of four hundred and forty delegates assembled for the purpose herein proposed, representing all the states of the Union, its deliberations and conclusions will attract the attention of the whole world, and it will do a great deal to break down the gigantic coal combination which is now bringing suffering to a million firesides in our land, besides arousing a concerted public sentiment upon all other trusts and rings which oppress the people.

I sincerely trust that in such a great inter-state conference your State will be represented by some of your best, most prominent and most honorable citizens. I beg leave to subscribe myself,

Yours very respectfully,

KNUTE NELSON, *Governor of Minnesota.*

The following is the joint resolution referred to in the above communication:

A JOINT RESOLUTION in reference to an inter-state conference as to a certain unlawful coal combination or trust.

WHEREAS, Certain railroad corporations and coal mine owners of Pennsylvania and other states have united in an unlawful combination or trust to prevent competition, and maintain the prices of coal at an unreasonable rate; and have, for that purpose, spread their monopoly over all the northern states of this union, plundering the people thereof of millions of dollars annually.

AND WHEREAS, It is difficult for any one state to contend alone successfully with this gigantic inter-state conspiracy, and fully overthrow such a widespread evil, but the powers of all the states and the national government must be invoked for the protection of the people of the entire country; therefore be it

Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, That the governor of Minnesota is respectfully requested to correspond with the governors of all the states of the United States of America, and to request them to appoint commissioners to meet on the first Monday of June of this year, at such place as the said governors may agree upon, to confer together and formulate such remedial measures as may be necessary to abate this great evil, and submit the same to their respective states and to the next congress of the United States, for their consideration and action; and to take all other steps which they may deem wise and proper for the

prosecution of the members of said unlawful combination in their respective states.

And be it further resolved, That the governor of this state is hereby requested and authorized to appoint ten commissioners, citizens of this state, who shall represent this state at such conferance.

They shall be entitled to receive their actual expenses, to be paid upon vouchers submitted by the governor, by the state treasurer upon the warrants of the State Auditor, and there is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $1,500 to pay the expenses of said commissioners; and be it further

Resolved, That in case all the governors of the states referred to neglect or decline to appoint any such commissioners, that then the commissioners appointed by and for this state shall meet and propose such measures as they may think proper for the consideration and action of congress.

D. M. CLOUGH,
President of the Senate.
WM. E. LEE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Approved April 8, 1893.
KNUTE NELSON,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The message and accompaning communication and joint resolution were referred to the committee on Federal relations.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 21, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 54 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 154, public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to amend section 10 of chapter 342 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended by act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Reform School,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows: By striking out the enacting section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact,* That section 10 of act number 78 of the session laws of 1855, entitled "An act to establish a house of correction for juvenile offenders," as amended by act No. 154 of the public acts of 1891, the same being section 8135 of the compiled laws of 1871 and section 9817 of Howell's annotated statutes (the said institution now being known as the Industrial School for Boys) be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

2. By striking out of line 1 of section 10 the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixteen."

3. By striking out of line 7 of section 10 the word "sixteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seventeen,"

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 10 of act No. 78 of the session laws of 1855, entitled "An act to establish a house of correction for juvenile offenders," as amended by act No. 154 of the public acts of 1891, the same being section 8135 of the compiled laws of 1871, and section 9817 of Howell's annotated statutes, (the said institution now being known as the Industrial School for Boys).

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and with the title thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question then being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was referred to the committee on Reform school.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

The committee of conference to whom was referred the difference between the two bodies regarding the following House concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of three members from the House and two from the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, with power and authority to send for persons, books and papers and employ expert and clerical help if necessary, to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural College and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking towards an increase in and enlargement of the usefulness of the institution.

Which the Senate had amended to read as follows:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of three members of the House and three from the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, with power and authority to send for persons, books and papers, and employ expert and clerical help if necessary, to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural college and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking toward an increase in and the enlargement of the usefulness of the institution,

And in which said amendment the House non-concurred.

The Senate thereupon insisting upon its said amendment,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have arrived at the following agreement, viz.: That the House recede from its non-concurrence in the said Senate amendment, and that the resolution as amended by the Senate be adopted. Your conference committee respectfully request that this basis of agreement be accepted by

your honorable body, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL,
E. G. FOX,
JAS. H. MORROW,
Committee on the part of Senate.

A. T. LINDERMAN,
HORACE HOLDRIDGE,
F. C. CHAMBERLAIN,
Committee on part of House of Representatives.

Report accepted.
On motion of Mr. Steel,
The report was adopted.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 21, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:
House bill No. 164, entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 35 of the revised statutes of 1846, being compiler's section No. 1635 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to the board of health, its powers and duties,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Counties and townships.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Roads and bridges:
The committee on Roads and bridges, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 155, entitled

A bill to amend section 27 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the laws of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, as amended by act No. 166 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 6, 1883, further amended by act No. 231 of the public acts of 1889, approved July 1, 1889, being compiler's section No. 1322, Vol. 3 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommended that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. MEARS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Burt to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 14 (file No. 2), entitled

A bill to revive and re-enact section 114, and sections 115 and 116, as amended by act No. 1 of the public acts of 1889, approved January 11, 1889, the same being sections 83, 84 and 85, of chapter 6 of the compiled laws of 1871 and consecutive sections 240, 241 and 242 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to electors of president and vice president of the United States,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 156 (file No. 230), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 234 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the bill be reprinted for the use of the committee of the whole.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 300 (file No. 199), entitled

A bill to provide for the collection and compilation of statistics of indigence and poverty,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the bill be laid on the table.

WELLINGTON R. BURT, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was ordered reprinted for the use of the committee of the whole.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the fourth named bill and the same was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The president *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House relative to the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of three members from the House and two from the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, with power and authority to send for persons, books and papers and employ expert and clerical help if necessary, to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural College and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking towards an increase in and enlargement of the usefulness of the institution,

Which the House adopted and which the Senate amended to read as follows:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That a special joint committee consisting of three members of the House and throe from the Senate be appointed by the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate respectively, with power and authority to send for persons, books and papers, and employ expert and clerical help if necessary, to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural college and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking toward an increase in and the enlargement of the usefulness of the institution,

In which amendment the House non-concurred and upon which difference between the Houses committees of conference were appointed,

Which conference committees this day reported and recommended to the House, that the said Senate amendment be concurred in by the House.

Now to inform the Senate that the House has adopted said report, and thereby concurred in said amendment, "but without intending to recognize the right of the Senate to equal representation as a precedent for the future government of the House."

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Doran,
The message was laid on the table.
Mr. Mears moved that there be a call of the Senate;
Which motion did not prevail.
Mr. Sabin moved that the Senate adjourn;
Which motion did not prevail.
Mr. Fox moved that the Senate go into the committee of the whole on the general order;
Which motion did not prevail.
Mr. Pierce moved that the Senate adjourn;
Which motion prevailed, and
The President *pro tem.* declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock p. m. on Monday next.

Lansing, Monday, April 24, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.
Roll called: quorum present.
Absent without leave: Messrs. Burt, Doran, Earle, Gilbert, Hopkins, Pierce, Sawyer and Turnbull.
On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,
Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Sawyer for the remainder of this week.
On motion of Mr. McGinley,
Leave of absence was granted to all the absentees from today's session.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 184. By Mr Sabin: Petition of 380 citizens of Ludington and Burr Oak, and other places in this State, asking that separate boards of control be given to the penal and reformatory institutions, and that women be named to constitute a part of the membership of said board.
Referred to the committee on State affairs.
No. 185. By Mr. Fox: Remonstrance of Terry Corlis and 24 others against the passage of Senate bill No. 362.
On motion of Mr. Fox,
The remonstrance was ordered spread on the journal as follows:

Mayville, April 14, 1893.

Hon. E. G. Fox, Lansing, Mich.:

DEAR SIR—Believing that Senate bill No. 362, recently introduced in the Senate by Senator C. H. McGinley, of Minden City, will, if passed into an act, be detrimental to the interests of forestry in Michigan, and that it cannot possibly benefit a single member of the order in this State, respectfully ask and petition that your influence and vote may be used against said bill. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Referred to the committee on Religious and benevolent societies.

No. 186. By Mr. Jewell: Petition of the superintendents of the poor and 77 others of Cass county praying for the passage of the bill establishing a home for the feeble minded and epileptic.

On motion of Mr. Jewell the petition was ordered spread on the journal, as follows;

To the Honorable the Senate of the State of Michigan:

The undersigned superintendents of the poor of the county of Cass, being convinced from our experience with the feeble minded and epileptic that these most unfortunate and suffering classes can be best cared for by the State under the care and instruction of those specially adapted and trained for such duty, respectfully and most earnestly request and petition your honorable body to favorably consider and enact a law to provide a proper and suitable home for the feeble minded and epileptic.

Referred to the committee on State affairs.

No. 187. By Mr. Jewell: Petition by M. J. Kelsey, H. C. French, Wm. P. Bennett, and many other residents and tax payers of Cass county on the same subject.

Referred to the committte on State affairs.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 34 (file No. 7), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act supplementary to an act, entitled 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein, approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto, to stand as section 7 of said act, in place of section seven which was repealed by act 67, approved May 10, 1879.

Pending third reading of which,

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 156 (file No. 230), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clapp	Jewell	Pascoe	
Clark	McGinley	Sabin	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fox	Mears	Weiss	21

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Mr. Steel moved that the Senate resolve itself into committee of the whole on the general order,

On which motion Mr. Clark demanded the yeas and nays.

Whereupon the roll of the Senate was called and sixteen Senators voted yea as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears
Brundage	Hough	Pascoe
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss
French		16

The President directed the Secretary to enter upon the Journal the fact that Senators Clark and Morrow were present and in their seats during the roll call, that these two Senators, together with those voting on the motion constituted a majority of the Senators elect and that the motion of Mr. Steel that the Senate resolve itself into committee of the whole on the

GENERAL ORDER

Prevailed,

A majority of all the Senators present having voted therefor, a quorum of the Senate being present.

The President called Mr. French to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee arose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following Senate bill No. 216 (file 133), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate express companies and their agents, and individuals prosecuting the express business not incorporated by the State of Michigan," approved March 27, 1867, by adding one new section thereto to stand as section 7,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 175 (file No. 74), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Benzonia, in the county of Benzie,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

ROBERT E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. French,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the second named bill, and the same was ordered re-referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

Mr. Weiss moved that the Senate adjourn;

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Tuesday, April 25, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Bronson.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave, Mr. Crane.

Mr. Barnard moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Crane and McLaughlin.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

Mr. Crane was excused from the operation of the call.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The Sergeant-at-arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-arms announced Mr. McLaughlin at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Mr. McLaughlin was admitted within the bar, and took his seat.

Mr. Gilbert rose to a

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE.

Which he stated as follows: Some days ago in debate I stated that the records showed that Mr. C. D. Randall has received pay for services as a member of the Board of Control of the State Public School for attending meetings of said board during a period when he was in Europe. Upon investigation I find, however, that Mr. Randall went to Europe the last of May, 1890, and returned about the 13th day of August, 1890; during which period no charge was made by Mr. Randall for services as member of said board. I make this correction in justice to myself as well as to Mr. Randall, for I do not desire to make any statement not warranted by the facts.

Mr. Barnard, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table

House bill No. 26, entitled

A bill to appropriate money for the purpose of making an exhibit of the resources of the State of Michigan at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in the year 1893, and providing for the appointment of two additional members of the board of managers;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Barnard, by unanimous consent, moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 2 of section 1, as amended by the Senate, March 3, the word "thirty," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five."

2. By striking out of line 9 of original section 3, as amended by the Senate, March 3, the word "thirty," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five."

Pending which amendments,

Mr. Pierce moved the previous question;
Which motion was seconded.
The question then being, "Shall the main question now be put?"
Mr. Fox demanded the yeas and nays thereon.
The previous question was then ordered, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pascoe	
Doran	Hough	Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
French	McGinley	Weiss	
Garvelink			12

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Fox	Sabin	
Clapp	Gibson	Steel	
Clark	Mellen		11

The question then being on the amendments offered by Mr. Barnard to the bill,
Mr. Fox demanded the yeas and nays thereon.
The motion to amend then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr Barnard	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mears	
Doran	Hopkins	Mugford	
Earle	Hough	Pascoe	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Pierce	
French	McGinley	Turnbull	
Garvelink	McLaughlin	Weiss	18

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Fox	Mr. Sabin	
Champion			4

And the bill was so amended.
The question being on the passage of the bill,
The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Mugford	
Doran	Hough	Pascoe	
Earle	Jewell	Pierce	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
French	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Garvelink	Mears	Weiss	
Gilbert			19

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Clapp	Mr. Fox	
Champion	Clark		5

The question being on agreeing to the title,
Mr. Doran moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to appropriate money for the purpose of making an exhibit of the resources of the State of Michigan at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in the year 1893,

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then provailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Hopkins	Mugford	
Doran	Hough	Pascoe	
Earle	Jewell	Pierce	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
French	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Garvelink	Mears	Weiss	21
	NAYS		1

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. Clapp moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill.

Mr. Doran moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table,

On which motion Mr. Clapp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. McLaughlin	
Doran	Hough	Mugford	
French	Jewell	Pierce	
Garvelink	McGinley	Weiss	12

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Fox	Pascoe	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Clark	Mears	Turnbull	
Earle	Mellen		14

The question then recurring on the motion of Mr. Clapp to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill,

Mr. Clapp demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The president announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the consideration of

Senate bill No. 414 (file No. 200), entitled

A bill providing that all persons employing female help in stores shall provide seats for the same when not actively employed.

Mr. Doran moved that the special order be postponed until action is taken by the Senate on the pending question, being the motion of Mr. Clapp to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed

House bill No. 26, entitled

A bill to appropriate money for the purpose of making an exhibit of the resources of the State of Michigan at the World's Columbian Exposition

at Chicago in the year 1893, and providing for the appointment of two additional members of the board of managers;

Which motion prevailed.

The motion of Mr. Clapp to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Clark	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Fox	Morrow	
Clapp	Gilbert		8

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Mugford	
Doran	Hough	Pascoe	
Earle	Jewell	Pierce	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Turnbull	
French	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Garvelink			16

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The President announced the Senate would take up the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 414 (file No. 200), entitled

A bill providing that all persons employing female help in stores shall provide seats for the same when not actively employed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Turnbull moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and Mr. Barnard reported absent without leave.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hopkins	Mugford	
Clapp	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears		20

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Asylums for the insane:

The committee on Asylums for the insane, to whom was referred House bill No. 132 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to provide for the erection of two cottages for patients, to purchase lands, to erect a barn at the Northern Michigan Asylum, Traverse City, Michigan, and making appropriations therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

MARDEN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Asylums for the insane:

The committee on Asylums for the insane, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and settings, for a water tower, for electric lighting, for new engines and setting, and for a physician's cottage at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, at Kalamazoo,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Senators Barnard and Brundage dissent relative to the appropriation of $18,000 for en electrie light plant.

MARTIN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Counties and townships:

The committee on Counties and townships, to whom was referred House bill No. 164, entitled

A bill to amend section three of chapter thirty-five of the revised statutes of 1846, being compiler's section number 1635 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to the township board of health, its power and duties,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be dischared from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Education and public schools:

The committee on Education and public schools, to whom was referred House bill No. 936, entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation of $2,000 for an exhibit of the the work of the public schools of Michigan at the World's Fair,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The bill was ordered printed and referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Elections:

The committee on Elections, to whom was referred

House bill No. 165 (file No. 253), entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Rhines vote recorder, or any other vote recorder of similar construction and principle, in all township, city and village elections held in this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 487 (file No. 151), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 265 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to reincorporate the city of Cadillac, and to repeal act No. 254 of the session laws of 1877, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Cadillac and repeal act No. 336 of the session laws of 1875,' approved April 22, 1875, and act No. 304 of the session laws of 1879, entitled 'An act to amend section 1 of act No. 254 of the session laws of 1877,' approved March 20, 1877, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Cadillac, and repeal act No. 336 of the session laws of 1875,' approved April 22, 1875," approved March 6, 1885.

Senate bill No. 184 (file No. 80), entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Mellen, in the county of Menominee, to aid in the construction and maintenance of a bridge across the Menominee river.

Senate bill No. 78 (file No. 28), entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Detroit to raise money for the purpose of enlarging and improving the public library building in said city.

Senate bill No. 44 (file No. 23), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the supreme commandery and subordinate cammanderies of the United Friends of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 183 (file No. 79), entitled

A bill to authorize the county of Menominee to aid in the construction and maintenance of a bridge across the Menominee river.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 67 (file no 67), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 70, of the public acts of 1877, entitled "An act for the more effectual prevention of cruelty to animals," approved April 25, 1877, being section 9392 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate bill No. 212, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Warren, in the county of Macomb and State of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 497, entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of local acts No. 292 of the acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan for 1879, entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Plymouth, county of Wayne, State of Michigan."

Senate bill No. 70 (file No. 146), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 118 of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled "The voluntary dissolution of corporations and of the abatement of suits by and against them," being compiler's chapter 282 of 2d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, by adding a new section to said chapter 118, to stand as section 39.

Senate bill No. 428 (file No. 204), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act number 230, laws of 1885, approved June 20, 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of the introduction and spread of cholera and other dangerous communicable diseases," and to add four new sections thereto to stand as sections 4, 5, 6 and 7.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 121 (File No. 238), entitled

A bill providing for the conditional sale, lease or hire of railroad and street railway equipment and rolling stock, and providing for the recording of the contract or agreement thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommended that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS.

The President announced the following:

MICHIGAN STATE LIBRARY,
Lansing, April 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

Will you please ask the Senators to return to the library all books drawn by them for which they have no further use. By so doing they will find it

easier to settle their accounts with the State Library when the session closes.

Respectfully,
M. C. SPENCER.

The communication was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate that Messrs. Linderman, Chamberlain and Holdridge have been appointed as committee on the part of the House to act with a like committee of the Senate to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural college and its property, and submit if possible recommendations looking towards an increase in and enlargement of the usefulness of the institution.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message was laid on the table.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 299, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the city of St. Joseph, county of Berrien, and attach the said territory to the city of Benton Harbor in said county; and to enable the said city of Benton Harbor to issue its bonds in the sum of five thousand dollars for payment to said city of St. Joseph,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 694, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the city of Benton Harbor in Berrien county and attach the same to the city of St. Joseph in Berrien county.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered

to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked. Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 188. By Mr. Doran: Protest of H. M. Avery and 100 other residents of Van Buren county against the present local option law.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The protest was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

To the Honorable the Senators and Representatives of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned residents of Van Buren county and State of Michigan, hereby protest against the present local option law, as the same has resulted in more saloons or places where liquors are sold, and the county receives no tax therefrom, and no protection to persons injured by the reason of the sale of liquor, as no bonds are now furnished; we therefore request our honorable Senators and Representatives to vote and use their influence in favor of Senator Doran's bill for the repeal of the local option law now in force.

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

No. 189. By Mr. Sabin: Petition of 523 citizens of Adrian and many residents of the third congressional district asking that separate boards of control be given to the reformatory institutions of the State, for the reoson that the board of control, as now constituted to have charge over all these inetitutions, cannot devote to each one the time requisite for thorough investigation and correction of abuses; and setting forth that in the opinion of the petitioners, this has been true in the case of the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian.

Referred to the committee on State affairs.

No. 190. By Mr. Earle: Petition of George E. Bardeen and 18 other citizens of Otsego, against the passage of the fish shute bill.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The petition was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

To the Honorable Senators of the State of Michigan, Lansing, Mich.:

We, the undersigned citizens of the village of Otsego, thinking that a fish shute placed in the dam at Otsego, as well as dams across the other rivers of Michigan, would be very detrimental to the manufacturing interests of the State, and that it would accomplish few or no beneficial results to the inhabitants of the State, petition that you will not let this measure become a law.

Referred to the committee on Fisheries.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Jewell to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, the President *pro tem.* having taken the chair, through their chairman, made the following report:

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The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for, establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

AUGUSTUS JEWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The committee was granted leave to sit again.

Mr. Fox moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:30 o'clock this evening;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Champion moved that the Senate adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President *pro tem* declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Wednesday, April 26, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave, Mr. Crane.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Crane from today's session.

Unanimous consent being given,

Mr. Earle moved that

House bill No. 156 (file No. 230), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane;

Which motion prevailed.

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Unanimous consent being given,

Mr. Morrow offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, The Legislature of this State has appropriated the sum of $125,000 to defray the expenses of an exhibit of the natural and artificial resources of the State of Michigan at the World's Fair, in Chicago,

which sum of money is being disbursed by a board of commissioners, created by the Legislature and appointed by the Executive of the State, and as it is but fair and just to the people of Michigan and to her mining, manufacturing and commercial, and all other interests involved, that an itemized statement of all expenditures made and contemplated be made public, therefore

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That a joint committee of five Senators and five members of the House of Representatives be appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives, respectively, which committee are hereby directed to require of said board of commissioners an immediate report in detail of all disbursements made and to be made, and that said committees report back to the Legislature the statement received by them from said board of commissioners, on or before May third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

Mr. Weiss moved that the resolution be laid on the table,

On which motion Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay the resolution on the table then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. McLaughlin	
Doran	Garvelink	Weiss	6

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Gibson	Morrow	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clark	Hough	Sabin	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	Mears	Turnbull	21

The question then being on the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. Pierce offered the following substitute therefor:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the Governor of the State be requested to transmit to each house of the Legislature any statement in his possession from the World's Fair commission in regard to expenditures made by the said commission;

Which substitute was agreed to.

The question then being on the adoption of the resolution as substituted;

The resolution was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 191. By Mr. Steel: Petition of C. E. Webster and 101 other citizens of Gratiot county, praying for the passage of the bill providing for the appropriation to establish a home for the feeble minded.

Referred to committee on Finance and appropriations.

No. 192. By Mr. Steel: Petition of N. G. Baldwin and 143 others on the same subject.

Referred to committee on Finance and appropriations.

No. 193. By Mr. Turnbull: Petition of Henry Rushmen, Anthony Kowalski and other citizens of Alpena, asking for the passage of the gold cure bill.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull, the petition was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

To Hon. J. D. Turnbull, Lansing, Mich.:

We, the undersigned, who have had experience in the city of Alpena for the past five years and upwards, in reference to caring for drunkards and their families, would most respectfully petition for the passage of the bill that authorizes the courts to permit the drunkards who are complained against to take the liquor cure, and for the public to pay for the same when such drunkards are unable to do so. We know from our experience that there are at least twenty men in this city at the present time who formerly had to be arrested and locked up at least a half dozen times each year, who did not support their families, and such families were a burden upon the public, who are today sober and industrious citizens who now support their families and take care of them, and are as good citizens in every respect as any in the land, and this was all brought about by the liquor cure.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

No. 194. By Mr. Champion: Remonstrance of citizens of Owosso and vicinity against the passage of House file No. 232.

On motion of Mr. Champion the remonstrance was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

We, the undersigned residents of Owosso and vicinity, do hereby respectfully remonstrate against the passage of House file No. 232, as an unnecessary interference with a perfectly legitimate and proper plan of transacting business. We do not think there is any demand for its passage, or that there is any evil which it will correct.

Referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

No. 195. By Mr. Doran: Protest of Heyman & Co., Julius J. Frederick, Nelson Piano Co., and one hundred other business men of Grand Rapids, against the passage of the bill which compels all contracts for the purchase of personal property to be recorded.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

No. 196. By Mr. Weiss: Petition of officers and members of the executive committee of the high school in favor of Senator McLaughlin's bond bill.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

No. 197. By Mr. Gilbert: Protest of A. McMillan, F. E. Bradley and others of Bay City against the passage of the bill taxing churches and church property.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert the protest was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

To the Senate and House of Representatives, constituting the Michigan State Legislature:

We, the undersigned, residents of Bay City, earnestly protest against the bill now pending, which provides for the taxation of churches and church property.

We believe that the christian church of Michigan has earned from the commonwealth the freedom from taxation:

First, As a teacher of good morals; and

Secondly, As an institution of organized charity. We therefore earnestly protest against any change in the statute which exempts from taxation "all houses of public worship with the land on which they stand, the

furniture therein and all rights in the pews; and also any parsonage owned by any religious society of this State, and occupied as such."

Referred to the committee on Taxation.

No. 198. By Mr. Sabin: Petition of 396 citizens of the 6th, 7th, 8th, and 12th congressional districts of this State asking that separate boards be given the reformatory institutions of the State.

Referred to committee on State affairs.

No. 199. By Mr. Hough: Petition of Sarah Bartlett, Dora A. Coll, Carrie M. Stevens and other ladies of Plymouth, praying for the passage of the bill providing for a separate reformatory for women convicted of crime.

Referred to committee on State Prison.

No. 200. By Mr. Burt: Petition of Saginaw bank clerks asking for the passage of the Saturday one-half holiday bill.

Referred to committee on Banks and corporations.

No. 201. By Mr. Burt: Petition from clerks of Chesaning on the same subject.

Referred to committee on Banks and corporations.

No. 202. By Mr. Weiss: Petition of 25 citizens of Cheboygan, on the same subject.

Referred to committee on Banks and corporations.

No. 203. By Mr. Weiss: Petition of 18 citizens of Greenville on the same subject.

Referred to committee on Banks and corporations.

No. 204. By Mr. Morrow: Petition of citizens of Monroe on the same subject.

Referred to a committee on Banks and corporations.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 299, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the city of St. Joseph, county of Berrien, and attach the said territory to the city of Benton Harbor in said county; and to enable the said city of Benton Harbor to issue its bonds in the sum of five thousand dollars for payment to said city of St. Joseph,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen
Champion	Gibson	Morrow
Clapp	Gilbert	Mugford
Clark	Hopkins	Pascoe

Mr. Doran	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Sabin	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mears	Weiss	27

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

By a vote of two-thirds of the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 694, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the city of Benton Harbor, in Berrien county, and attach the same to the city of St. Joseph, in Berrien county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fox	Mears	Weiss	27

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 402 (file No. 280), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Ann Arbor, revise the charter of said city, and repeal all conflicting acts relating thereto," being act No. 331 of the session laws of 1889, approved March 15, 1889, and adding thereto seven new sections as amended by act No. 262 of the local acts of 1891, approved March 28, 1891, by amending sections 1, 69, 181 and 184 of said charter,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Clark moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave:

Messrs. Barnard and Doran.

Mr. Clark moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

The Sergeant-at-arms was despatched after the absentees.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hopkins	Mugford	
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin	
Clark	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fox	Mellen		17

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The Sergeant-at-arms announced Messrs. Barnard and Doran at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

Messrs. Barnard and Doran were admitted within the bar, and took their seats.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Messrs. Doran and Barnard were excused from the further operation of the call.

By the committee on Counties and townships:

The committee on Counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 697, entitled

A bill to attach certain territory to the township of St. Clair in the county of St. Clair, and defining a boundary line,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. French,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow
Clapp	Hopkins	Mugford
Clark	Hough	Pascoe
Earle	Jewell	Pierce
Fleshiem	McGinley	Sabin
Fox	McLaughlin	Steel
French	Mears	Turnbull
Garvelink	Mellen	Weiss
Gibson		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 687, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 337 of the local acts of 1883 entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Kalamazoo and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to reincorporate the village of Kalamazoo and to repeal all inconsistent acts and parts of acts,' approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts as amendatory thereof," as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof and to add seven new sections to said act, also to add one new chapter to be known as chapter 28,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 337 of the local acts of 1883 entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Kalamazoo and to repeal an act entiled 'An act to reincorporate the village of Kalamazoo and to repeal all inconsistant acts and parts of acts,' approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof and to add ten new sections to said act,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to bedischarged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The President called Mr. Champion to the chair.

The bill was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Clapp moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Gilbert and Mugford.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The President having resumed the chair,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fox	Mears	Weiss	
French			22

NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, April 25, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 183 (file No. 79), being

An act to authorize the county of Menominee to aid in the construction and maintenance of a bridge across the Menominee river.

Also,

Senate bill No. 487 (file No. 151), being

An act to amend section 1 of act No. 265 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to reincorporate the city of Cadillac, and to repeal act No. 254 of the session laws of 1877, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Cadillac, and repeal act No. 336 of the session laws of 1875,' approved April 22, 1875, and act No. 304 of the session laws of 1879, entitled 'An act to amend section 1 of act No. 254 of the session laws of 1877,' approved March 20, 1877, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Cadillac, and repeal act No. 336 of the session laws of 1875,' approved April 22, 1875," approved March 6, 1885.

Also,

Senate bill No. 70 (file No. 146), being

An act to amend chapter 118 of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled "The voluntary dissolution of corporations, and of the abatement of suits by and against them," being compiler's chapter 282 of 2d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, by adding a new section to said chapter 118, to stand as section 39.

Also,

Senate bill No. 184 (file No. 80), being

An act to authorize the township of Mellen, in the county of Menominee, to aid in the construction and maintenance of a bridge accross the Menominee river.

Also,

Senate bill No. 497 (manuscript), being

An act to amend section 5 of local act No. 292 of the acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan for 1879, entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Plymouth, county of Wayne, State of Michigan.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The Legislature has accepted an invitation to visit the World's Fair at the time of the dedication of the Michigan building; therefore,

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Legislature stand adjourned from Friday, April 28 inst., to Tuesday, May 2, at 10 o'clock a. m.;

Which has been adopted by the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question obeing on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 391, entitled

A bill to reincorporate the village of Leonard, Oakland county, Michigan, and to add territory thereto,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McGinley moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 32 (file No. 5), entitled

A bill to regulate the interest, discount or consideration upon the loan or forbearance of money, money due on account, judgments, verdicts, decrees, goods, rights and choses in action, and to provide a remedy for any property usuriously taken, and for the punishment for the taking of usury;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

AFTER RECESS.

2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The President announced the following:

Lansing, April 26, 1892.

To the Honorable Senate:

Pursuant to a concurrent resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee to investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural College and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking towards an increase in and enlargement of the usefulness of the institution,

I hereby name Senators Garvelink, Fox and Gilbert as the members of said committee on the part of the Senate.

Very respectfully,
J. WIGHT GIDDINGS,
President of the Senate.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Jewell to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose, and through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 101 (file No. 36), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of 1881, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 2 of said act;

Senate bill No. 262 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to provide for the control and management of the State Industrial Home for Girls, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

AUGUSTUS JEWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 356, entitled

A bill to amend sections 130, 149, 158, 173, 175, and 177, of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to encorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 13, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisonary thereof, and to repeal section 69 of said act,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

1. By inserting the words "sixty-two, seventy-eight, one hundred and six," in section 1 after the word "sections."

2. By inserting the words "one hundred and fifty" in section 1, line 2, after the word "forty-nine."

3. By adding a new section thereto to stand as section 62 of this act to read as follows, to-wit:

SEC. 62. The board of public works of Bay City shall consist of a city surveyor, city comptroller and three electors of said city, who shall be appointed by the council by a majority vote of the aldermen elect. The members of such board hereafter appointed shall hold their offices for three years: *Provided, however*, The members of said board as now constituted shall hold their offices until the expiration of the time for which they were respectively appointed. As the respective terms of the members of such board expire one member of such board shall be appointed each year by the council by a majority of all the aldermen elect, who shall hold his office for three years. In case of a vacancy the council shall, by a majority vote of all the aldermen elect, fill such vacancy for the remainder of the unexpired term. Any person appointed a member of said board shall hold his office until his successor is appointed and qualified.

4. By adding a new section thereto to stand as section seventy-eight of this act, to read as follows, to-wit:

SEC. 78. The board of police commissioners shall consist of five persons having the qualifications of electors, who shall be elected by a majority vote of all the members elect of the common council: *Provided, however*, That the present members of said board, including the chairman, shall be continued in office until the expiration of their present terms of office: *And provided further*, That the members hereafter appointed shall hold office for a term of five years. The common council shall, by ordinance, prescribe the powers and duties to be exercised by said board, and shall place under the direction of said board, subject to the supervisory control of the council, the care, control and management of the police force, its organization, government, appointment and discipline, and the custody and control of all public property, books, records and equipments thereunto belonging. The common council shall also by ordinance provide that said board shall keep a written record of its proceedings, to be signed by the chairman and clerk thereof, which shall be open to public inspection at all reasonable times. The common council shall also, at any time, have the power to remove any member of said board in the same manner as heretofore provided for the removal of public officers in section eight of this act. Said commissioners shall meet on the first Monday in May of each year, or as soon thereafter as may be, and select one of their number chairman, who shall be known as chairman of the board of police commissioners.

5. By adding a new section thereto to stand as section 106 of this act to read as follows, to-wit:

SEC. 106. The street commissioner shall, under the direction of the council, superintend the making, grading, repairing and planking and opening of all streets, lanes, alleys, bridges, sidewalks, drains and sewers within the limits of the city, in such manner as he may, from time to time, be required: *Provided, however*, The council may, if it be deemed expedient, appoint a sidewalk inspector, whose duty it shall be to inspect all sidewalks, cross-walks, culverts and streets within the city limits of Bay City, and to keep a record of any defects therein, or obstructions thereon, and to report the same to the city attorney and to the street commissioner of Bay City, and to order the latter to forthwith remove any such obstruction, or

to repair any such defect as is likely to result in personal injury. It shall also be the duty of said inspector to see that such orders are forthwith executed, and to report to the city attorney any failure on the part of the street commissioner to immediately execute his said orders; and also to keep a record of the time of compliance therewith.

He shall also report to the city attorney any failure on the part of any contractor or person to place proper guards, signals and lights on any obstruction or excavation on the streets or sidewalks of said city. Said inspector of sidewalks shall receive such compensation as the council may direct, not to exceed three dollars per day while actually employed; and he shall give a bond to the city for the faithful performance of his duties, and in such sum as may be fixed by the council. It shall be the duty of the street commissioner to immediately make any repair, remove any obstruction, or comply with any order of the said sidewalk inspector. Said sidewalk inspector, when not engaged in the duties above prescribed, shall act as the inspector of public works under the direction of the city surveyor.

6. By striking out in line 5 of section 130 the words, "the streets so used," and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "So much of any street or streets so used as the council may deem just and proper; but before any railroad or street railway company shall lay any track or tracks upon any street or part of a street, such company shall procure and file with the recorder the written consent of at least three-fifths in number of the persons owning property fronting upon either side of such street, or part of a street, that such company may lay its track or tracks thereon and operate the same. And as a further condition of the use by any railroad or street railway of any street or streets which may have been in whole or part paved, planked or macadamized prior to such use by any railroad or street railway, the council shall have power to require any corporation or persons owning such railroad or street railways to pay such proportion of the original cost of such planking, paving or macadamizing of such street or streets as the council may deem just and proper.

The fines so paid to the city treasurer shall be distributed and paid over by him, under the direction of the comptroller, to and among the property owners and municipal corporations originally assessed for the cost of such paving, planking or macadamizing, *pro rata*. The width of any street occupied by any such company shall in all cases be measured from a point distant one foot and two inches from the outer side of the outermost rail on one side of the center of the street to a point distant one foot and two inches from the outer side of the outermost rail on the other side of the center of said street. And as a further condition, the council may require such railroads and street railways."

7. By striking out in line 9 of section 130, the word "thereto," and inserting instead thereof the words, "to the use of the streets by any railroad or street railway."

8. By adding to the end of section 130 the following: "*Provided, however*, That nothing herein contained shall be deemed to deprive the owner or owners of any property abutting on any street or streets through which such railroad or street railway may pass, of his or her right of action against the person or corporation owning such railroad or street railway for damages incurred by reason of such use of any street or streets."

9. By striking out in lines 2 and 3 of section 149 the words, "on the nomination of the mayor;" and inserting instead thereof, the words, "by

a majority vote of all the aldermen-elect;" and by inserting in line 16 after the word "adopt," the words: "Any person owning any stock or shares, or being any partner, or directly interested in any electric light company, shall be disqualified from becoming a member of the electric light commission, and from continuing to act as such." And by striking out of line seventeen the words, "three-fourths," and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "two-thirds."

10. By adding a new section to stand as section 150 of this act, to read as follows:

SEC. 150. The persons first apppointed by the council as electric light commissioners shall hold office, one until the first day of May, 1888, one until the first day of May, 1889, one until the first day of May, 1890, one until the first day of May, 1891, and one until the first day of May, 1892, and until their successors are elected and qualified; and all persons subsequently appointed, except for the purpose of filling vacancies, shall hold their offices for five years and until their successors are elected and qualified. In case any vacancy occurs, the council, by a majority vote of all the aldermen elect, shall appoint some person to fill the unexpired portion of the term. Said commissioners shall be subject to removal by a majority vote of all the aldermen elect.

11. By adding to section 158 in line 1 after the word "board," the words, "when authorized by the council."

12. By striking out entire section 2 of this act which reads as follows: "Section 69 is hereby repealed."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 62, 78, 106, 130, 149, 150, 158, 173 175 and 177 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City, approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof,

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 792 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 9 of title 2; section 9 of title 3; sections 4, 12, 25 and 32 of title 4; sections 7, 8, 10 and 11 of title 5; sections 6, 10 and 36 of title 6, of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to

incorporate the city of Grand Rapids,' approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; and to add to title of said act six new sections, to be known and numbered as sections 19, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of said title 3 respectively; and to repeal section 23 of title 4; sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of title 6, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of title 7 of said act,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 324 (file No. 84), entitled

A bill supplemental to the charter of the city of Detroit, and to provide for a law department in said city,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 298 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 152 of the session laws of 1889, being "An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 29 of the public acts of 1887," approved March 15, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows," as amended by act No. 152 of the public acts of 1889,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 81 (file No. 63), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of boards of trade and chambers of commerce," being act No. 166, approved March 19, 1863,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Hopkins moved that the Senate adjourn until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning:

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. to-morrow.

Lansing, Thursday, April 27, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 205. By Mr. Sabin: Petition of J. C. Bontecou and 257 other citizens of the 11th congressional district asking that separate boards be given the reformatory institutions, and that all boards of control of penal and reformatory institutions be composed of both male and female members.

Referred to the committee on State affairs.

No. 206. By Mr. Turnbull: Communication of H. W. Davis, of St. Joseph, favoring the passage of the gold cure bill.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The communication was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

St. Joseph, Mich., April 24, 1893.

Mr. J. D. Turnbull:

DEAR SIR—Yours containing bill for the "treatment of drunkenness," etc., is at hand. I most heartily favor the measure for the following reasons:

1. Drunkenness in many of its phases is now considered by good medical authorities to be a disease. One diseased should be treated, not imprisoned.

2. Drunkenness is the cause, directly and indirectly, of most crimes committed. Cure the drundard and stop the crime.

3. Drunkenness is the prolific cause of pauperism. The drunkard consuming the products of other men's labors and producing nothing himself. Cure his drunkenness and he will become a producer and thus add to the wealth and worth of his community.

4. Drunkenness can be cured. About 100,000 have been treated for the disease and fully 93 per cent have been permanently cured. I know of no other agency prolific of such magnificent results.

Respectfully yours,

W. H. DAVIS,

Pastor Congregational Church, St. Joseph, Mich.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

No. 207. By Mr. Mears: Protest of the Grand Council, Royal Arcanum, against the passage of Senate bill No. 312, relative to mutual insurance companies.

Referred to committee on Insurance.

No. 208. By Mr. Gibson: Petition of members of the bar of Wayne county, praying for the passage of the bill for additional judges of the circuit court for Wayne county.

On motion of Mr. Gibson the petition was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows·

To the Legislature of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned, members of the bar of Wayne county, desire to urge that the bill now pending before your honorable body for additional judges for the circuit court for county of Wayne be passed and given immediate effect for the following reasons:

1. It appears from a comparison of the business directories of Detroit and its suburbs, that since we were given the fourt circuit judge the population has increased about eighty thousand.

2. During this time the civil cases on the docket of that court have increased from about eight hundred to over fourteen hundred.

3. A comparison of the docket for the present April term with those of some previous terms shows that there are now on this docket awaiting trial or hearing 192 jury cases and 43 fourth-class chancery causes which were at issue before the April term of A. D. 1891; 423 jury cases and 147 fourth-class chancery causes which were at issue before the April term, A. D. 1892; 826 jury cases, 147 court cases and 243 fourth-class chancery causes which were at issue before the January term of A. D. 1893.

4. A considerable number of these cases involve large amounts of property, some even hundreds of thousands of dollars worth; others, while of less importance in dollars and cents, are of vital consequence to the parties interested.

5. The aggregate of all the interests involved in these, over fourteen hundred civil cases, bears no small ratio to all the wealth of the county, and the prompt determination of these suits is of vast importance, not only to the business interests of Wayne county, but to those of the State at large.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

No. 209. By Mr. Clark: Petition of W. E. Walker, J. F. Lawrence,

Dr. John W. Kapp and many other citizens of Ann Arbor, praying for the immediate passage of the fish shute bill.

Referred to committee on Fisheries.

No. 210. By Mr. Mugford: Petition of C. W. Slayton, Geo. R. Bates, J. V. Cahill, Henry Palmer and other citizens of Oceana county against the passage of House file No. 232.

Referred to committee on State affairs.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 431, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Boyne Falls in Charlevoix county,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Boyne Falls in Charlevoix county,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Champion	Gibson	Mugford	
Clapp	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox	Mears		29

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 792 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 9 of title 2; section 9 of title 3; sections 4, 12, 25 and 32 of title 4; sections 7, 8, 10 and 11 of title 5; sections 6, 10 and 36 of title 6, of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled "An act to

incorporate the city of Grand Rapids,' approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; and to add to title 3 of said act 6 new sections, to be known and numbered as sections 19, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of said title 3 respectively; and to repeal section 23 of title 4; sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of title 6, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of title 7 of said act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 248, entitled

A bill to require all persons, corporations, joint stock companies or associations leasing to other persons, corporations, associations or joint stock companies mineral lands located in this State for the purpose of mining ores therefrom to pay a specific tax upon the amount of such ores subject to taxation,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to request of the Senate that the bill be printed for the use of the committee.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The request was granted, and the bill ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on Rules and joint rules:

The committee on Rules and joint rules, to whom was referred the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, Much of the practice of the two houses of this Legislature depends upon customs, precedents, modes of procedure and unwritten law; and

WHEREAS, There is now no means whereby a new member can familiarize himself with such practice, except by actual contact with it after he takes his seat, thereby involving much waste of time at the beginning of every session; and

WHEREAS, An official hand-book of such practice would greatly facilitate the dispatch of business and effect a great saving in the time of legislators and thus tend to shorten the sessions of the Legislature; therefore

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That Lewis M. Miller, the Clerk of the present House of Representatives, be and is hereby authorized to prepare and publish an official hand-book of the practice of the Michigan Legislature, based upon constitutional provisions, parliamentary law, statutes, judicial decisions, rules and joint rules and the unwritten laws of procedure as established by custom and precedents;

Resolved, That five hundred copies of such work, published in book form similar to the Legislative Manual and substantially bound, be purchased by the State of Michigan, at a price not to exceed $1.50 per volume,

to be delivered to the Secretary of State for distribution as follows: Two hundred copies to be sent, one copy each, to the members and officers of the present Legislature; two hundred copies to be delivered to the Secretary of State to be sent, one copy each, to the members and officers of the Legislature of 1895, immediately upon their election; and the remaining one hundred copies to be placed in the State library for the use of said library and for exchanges;

Resolved, That the Auditor General be and is hereby authorized and instructed to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer for the sum necessary to purchase said five hundred copies, upon presentation to him of the certificate of the Secretary of State that such volumes have been published, bound and delivered to him, as contemplated by this resolution,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the resolution be adopted, and further recommend that the resolution be referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

MARDEN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 355, entitled

A bill to regulate the possession, use, transportation and sale of fish and game,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to request of the Senate that the bill be printed for the use of the committee.

EDWIN M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Reported accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The request was granted, and the bill ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 226, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 28, laws of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for a game and fish warden and to prescribe his powers and duties,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to request of the Senate that the bill be printed for the use of the committee.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The request was granted, and the bill ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 271, entitled

A bill to regulate the height of trolley wires, and other mechanical devices, which are or may be placed over railroad tracks,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, April 26, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 78 (file No. 28), being

An act to authorize the city of Detroit to raise money for the purpose of enlarging and improving the public library building in said city.

Also,

Senate bill No. 428 (file No. 204), being

An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 230 laws of 1885, approved June 20, 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of the introduction and spread of cholera and other dangerous communicable diseases," and to add four new sections thereto to stand as sections 4, 5, 6 and 7.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 44 (file No. 23), being

An act to provide for the incorporation of the supreme commandery and subordinate commanderies of the United Friends of Michigan.

Also,

Senate bill No. 67 (file No. 67), being

An act to amend section 2 of act number 70 of the public acts of 1877, entitled "An act for the more effectual prevention of cruelty to animals," approved April 25, 1877 being section 9392 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 82, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the Michigan pioneer and historical society for the years 1893 and 1894,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the Governor of the State be requested to transmit to each House of the Legislature any statement in his possession from the World's Fair commission in regard to expenditures made by the said commission,

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 173 (file No. 74), entitled

A bill to amend sections 42, 43 and 44 of chapter 11 of act number 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and the acts amendatory thereof,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

By striking out all of section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That sections 42, 43 and 44 of act No. 489 of the local acts of 1887, being chapter 11 of act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and the acts amendatory thereof, be and the same are hereby amended so as to read as follows:

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 42, 43 and 44 of act No. 489 of the local acts 1887, being chapter 11 of act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts in conflict therewith,"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce
Crane	Hough	Sabin
Doran	Jewell	Steel
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss
French	Mears	Wilkins
Garvelink	Mellen	23

NAYS. 0

The question then being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title of the bill,

The Senate concurred.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 429 (file No. 258), entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation for the preparation, publication and distribution of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the Michigan superintendents of the poor for the years 1893 and 1894,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 641 (file No. 272), entitled

A bill to establish a public hospital in the city of Detroit,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Fleshiem moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 368, entitled

A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, for the purchase of grounds and the construction of school buildings and to issue bonds therefor;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The bill was re-referred to the committee on Education and public schools.

Mr. McLaughlin moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 34 (file No. 7), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein, approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto, to stand as section 7 of said act, in place of section 7 which was repealed by act 67, approved May 10, 1879;'"

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Fox moved that the bill be made the special order for Wednesday, May 3, at 3 o'clock p. m.;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Weiss the Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 14 (file No. 2), entitled

A bill to revive and re-enact section 114, and sections 115 and 116 as amended by act No. 11 of the public acts of 1889, approved January 11, 1889, the same being sections 83, 84 and 85 of chapter 6 of the compiled laws of 1871, and consecutive sections 240, 241 and 242 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to electors of President and Vice President of the United States,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French	Mears		20

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Doran			10

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 262 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to provide for the control and management of the State Industrial Home for Girls, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Sabin moved to amend the bill by striking out in line 4 section 1 the word "women" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "a woman;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

On motion of Mr Steel,

Mr. Weiss was excused from this morning's session of the Senate.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Sabin moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following senator reported absent without leave:

Mr. Fleshiem.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Mr. Fleshiem was excused from operation of the call.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Sabin	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French			19

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Doran			10

Title agreed to.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Gibson moved to take from the table

House bill No. 367 (file No. 151), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the grand, district, and subordinate lodges of the Loyal Orange Institution of the State of Michigan;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Clapp, by unanimous consent moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of line 3 of section 1 the words: "*Provided*, That none but citizens of the United States shall be admitted as members of such institutions, and that the objects and purposes thereof shall not be repugnant to the constitution of this State and of the United States."

Pending which,

Mr. Gilbert moved that the Senate take a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon;

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then being on the amendment offered by Mr. Clapp to the bill,

The amendment was adopted, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gilbert	Morrow	
Burt	Hopkins	Mugford	
Champion	Hough	Sabin	
Clapp	Jewell	Steel	
Clark	McGinley	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Garvelink			22

NAYS.

Mr. Earle	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe	
Fleshiem	Mears	Pierce	
Fox			7

Mr. Clark moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting at the end of section 3 the following proviso:

Provided further, That there shall be no provision in the constitution or by-laws requiring or permitting any person desiring to become a member to take an oath of allegiance to any other government than the United States, or support any law or edict in conflict with the constitution and laws of the State of Michigan; nor shall any oath be administered or pledge required or permitted to be given of or by any person joining this organization, which pledges them to antagonize any church or person on account of his or their religious convictions, affiliations or associations.

Which amendment was not seconded by a majority of the Senate.

Mr. McGinley moved that the Senate take a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.;

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. McGinley moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed until Thursday, May 4. On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. McGinley to postpone the further consideration of the bill then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Doran	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Earle	Mugford	
Clapp	Gilbert	Turnbull	
Clark	McGinley		11

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe	
Crane	Hopkins	Pierce	
Fleshiem	Hough	Sabin	
Fox	Jewell	Steel	
French	Mears	Wilkins	18

Mr. Jewell moved the previous question;

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being "shall the main question now be put?"

Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays.

The previous question was then ordered, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Crane	Gibson	Pierce	
Earle	Hopkins	Sabin	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	18

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Doran	Mr. Morrow	
Clapp	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Hough	Turnbull	9

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe	
Burt	Hopkins	Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Sabin	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			19

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Turnbull	
Doran	McGinley		5

Title agreed to.

In announcing his vote in favor of the passage of the above named bill, Mr. Morrow made the following explanation:

In consideration of the acceptance of the amendment provided that no one but citizens of the United States be admitted as members of such institution, and that the members of such institution and that the objects and purposes thereof shall not be repugnant to the constitution of this State and the United States, I vote aye.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Mr. Morrow gave notice that at some future day he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the above named bill.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTER RECESS.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Doran moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 792 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 9 of title 2; section 9 of title 3; sections 4, 25 and 32 of title 4; sections 7, 8, 10 and 11 of title 5; sections 6, 10 and 36 of title 6, of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids,' approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; and to add to title 3 of said act six new sections, to be known and numbered as sections 19, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of said title 3 respectively; and to repeal section 23 of title 4; sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of title 6, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of title 7 of said act;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The bill was re-referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

Mr. Steel moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate bill No. 101 (file No. 36), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of 1881, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 2 of said act,

Be taken from the order of third reading of bills;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 203, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 25 of the session laws of the year 1887, approved March 9, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for three additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit," so as to provide two additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 25 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 9, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for three additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit, so as to provide two additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, Senator Clapp dissenting, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 211. By Mr. Clapp: Petition of Scott Field and 15 others of Battle Creek asking for the passage of the "Saturday half-holiday" bill.

Referred to the committee on Labor interests.

No. 212. By Mr. Clapp: Petition of Robert Adams and 14 others of Caseville, Huron county, against the passage of Senate bill No. 362.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

No. 213. By Mr. Gilbert: Protest and communication of Thayer & Gustin, and several other citizens of Bay City, against the passage of House file No. 232.

On demand of Mr. Gilbert,

The protest and communication were ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

We, the undersigned residents of Bay City, do hereby respectfully remonstrate against the passage of House file No. 232 as an unnecessary interference with a perfectly legitimate and proper plan of transacting business. We do not think there is any demand for its passage, or that there is any evil which it will correct.

Bay City, Mich., April 26, 1893.

Hon. Peter Gilbert, Lansing:

SIR—We would respectfully call your attention to the enclosed remonstrance against the passage of House bill No. 232. We had only a few hours' notice of the existance of the bill, but every business man we called upon gave an opinion that the bill would be a damage to a large and

legitimate trade, and a benefit to no one except a class of money sharks who are able to protect themselves. You will confer a favor upon a large majority of your constituents by opposing the passage of this bill when it comes into the Senate. Would you please show this remonstrance to our Representatives, Chris. Mohr, B. Knight and John Holmes.

Respectfully,

THAYER & GUSTIN.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from the remainder of today's session.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from the remainder of today's session.

On motion of Mr. French,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from tomorrow's session.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon,

The President called Mr. Morrow to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

JAMES H. MORROW, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the Honorable, the Legislature of Michigan:

I have the honor to transmit to you the report of the Board of World's Fair Managers of Michigan for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1892, in accordance with the provisions of section 5, act No. 188, public acts of 1891. It may be proper to say that this report would have been transmitted earlier but for the fact that my attention had not been called to this provision of the law. The reports will be forwarded hereafter as soon as received.

Very respectfully,

JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

BOARD OF WORLD'S FAIR MANAGERS FOR MICHIGAN,
Michigan Building, Jackson Park,
Chicago, Feb. 1, 1893..

Hon. John T. Rich, Governor of the State of Michigan, Lansing:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to transmit a copy of the official record of "The Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan" for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1892, in accordance with the provisions of act No. 188 of the session laws of 1891.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully

MARK W. STEVENS, *Secy.*

Regular meeting of the Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan at the Victoria Hotel, Chicago, Ill., on Wednesday, October 19, 1892.

Present—President Weston, Mr. Belden, Mr. Flynn, Mr. White. Mrs. Pond, Mrs. Valentine and the secretary.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Mr. White presented the application of Mr. Dremel, of Hancock, Mich., for concession in the State building to sell souvenirs. On motion the application was referred to Mr. White with power to act.

Mr. Weston submitted to the board the plan of the State map. On motion of Mr. White, Mr. Weston was authorized to proceed with the work of obtaining the map at a total cost of not to exceed $1,140: *Provided,* After the lead pencil sketch of the map is completed, it is deemed expedient to finish the work.

The question of plumbing in the Michigan building and the additional cost of the same over and above the contract price, in order to have said plumbing comply with the requirements of the board of control, it was referred to Mr. Weston, he to obtain the extra work at the lowest price possible.

The following proposals for the painting of the Michigan building were submitted:

O. F. Reed, two coats on outside, two colors	$1,100.00
C. A. Goebel, two coats, on outside, two colors	1,198.44
Miller and Middleton, two coats, two colors	1,300.00
Dean, Godfrey & Co., two coats, two colors	1,868.00

In all the above one coat is to be put on this fall, and one coat in April, 1893, and also includes trimmings.

The question of the proposals to paint the building was referred to Mr. Belden with power to obtain other proposals and report same to the executive committee.

Mr. Flynn being one of the committee to whom the question of determining the color of the paint for the State building was referred, reported that the committee had agreed upon the color of the building, and showed specimens of the paint provided by the architect, the body of which was a light granite gray with trimming of a lighter gray; which said specimens were filed with the secretary. On motion the report was adopted.

The question of adopting the style and size of cases to be used by counties in making county exhibits was referred to Mr. Weston with power to act, and to invite counties that desire to made an exhibit to obtain cases as adopted, and that each county be offered space to make a county exhibit, also offered space for maps, charts, statistics and portraits; and the president

was instructed to provide circulars embracing the same, and forward the same to the secretary who was instructed to distribute them to the county committees in the State.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, Mr. Belden was authorized to purchase David Woodman's exhibit of grains and grassess, provided, the same shall not cost to exceed $250.

Mr. Belden reported that he had purchased the exhibit of grains and grasses heretofore owned and exhibited at various fairs by Mr. Jewett, for the sum of $150.

On motion of Mr. Flynn said purchase was approved and Mr. Belden was directed to have the exhibit sent to the Agricultural College.

Mr. Belden submitted to the board the proposal of Mr. A. D. Cutting to furnish an exhibit of honey complete for the sum of $1,000.

On motion of Mr. White, the question of the honey exhibit was referred to Mr. Belden and Supt. Woodman to report on at the next meeting of the executive committee.

On motion the meeting was adjourned until Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

Thursday morning, 8:30 o'clock. Meeting called to order by the secretary. On motion of Mr. Flynn and supported by Mr. White, the meeting was adjourned until 4 o'clock p. m.

Thursday, October 20, 4 o'clock p. m. Meeting called to order and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Saturday morning, October 22. Meeting called to order. Present, Mr. Weston, Mr. Belden, Mr. Flynn, Mr. White, Mrs. Pond, Mrs. Valentine and the secretary.

Mr. Belden presented the following accounts against the board which were incurred by various men whom he had employed to select specimens of grains and grasses at the fairs for exhibit:

A. N. Howe	$50 05
E. B. Parks	2 63
J. C. Glidden	82 75
J. J. Woodman	198 97
M. Sabin	20 34

Said accounts were approved and the secretary was authorized to forward vouchers to the several parties.

Mr. Belden presented account of D. R. Armstrong & Co. of $510.05 for paints. Mr. Belden also reported that there should be a reduction by reason of the return to D. R. Armstrong & Co. of paints not used.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the matter was referred to Mr. Belden for settlement after obtaining all possible reductions.

On motion of Mr. Fynn, Mrs. Pond and Mrs. Valentine were authorized to remain in Chicago and attend the meeting of the board of lady managers on Monday and Tuesday, October 24 and 25, the expenses of the same to be paid out of the moneys appropriated for womans' work.

On motion of Mrs. Valentine, the proposal of Berry Bros., of Detroit, to varnish and finish the wood specimens in the forestry exhibit, free of charge was accepted, and the secretary to notify Berry Bros.

Mr. Belden reported that there was a collection of small trees standing in the northwest corner of the lot where the Michigan building is located, and that he thought it advisable that said trees should be removed. On moton of Mr. White, Mr. Belden was authorized to cause said trees to be removed provided permission can be obtained.

Mr. White offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That it is the judgment of this board that the World's Fair should be kept open to visitors seven days of each week, provided that all machinery shall be stopped on the first day of each week and all other unnecessary work cease on such days, provided that all employés in and about the said World's Fair shall be allowed one day of rest out of each seven, as may be decided by the managers; and that a copy of this resolution be signed by the president and secretary of this board and furnished to each member of congress from the State of Michigan.

Mr. White moved that the resolution be adopted; whereupon a yea and nay vote was demanded upon the resolution, which demand was granted unanimously. The secretary called the roll, and the vote stood as follows:

Mr. Weston, yea; Mr. Belden, yea; Mr. Flynn, yea; Mr. White, yea: Mrs. Pond, yea; Mrs. Valentine, no. The resolution was adopted.

On motion it was decided that the next regular meeting of the board shall be held at the Michigan building, Jackson Park, Chicago, Ill., on the first Tuesday of January, 1893, at two o'clock p. m. of said day.

On motion, meeting adjourned.

MARK W. STEVENS, *Secretary.*

Meeting of the Executive committee of the Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan, held at the Victoria Hotel, Chicago, on Saturday, October 22, 1892.

Present—Chairman Weston, Mr. Belden, Mr. Flynn and the Secretary.

The following accounts were presented, examined, audited, and ordered paid by the committee:

Peter White, prem. on insurance on Mich. building,	voucher No.	71	$100 00
Peter White, per diem, subsistence and disbursements,	"	72	83 48
Perry Hannah, furnishing lumber for forestry building,	"	73	145 33
J. H. Roberts, salary as superintendent of State exhibit,	"	74	225 00
E. H. Belden, per diem, subsistence and disbursements.	"	75	110 95
Mark W. Stevens, salary and disbursements,	"	76	192 41
J. S. Valentine, per diem, subsistence and disbursements,	"	77	120 45
J. W. Flynn, " " " " "	"	78	105 70
J. A. Pond, " " " " "	"	79	121 11
I. M. Weston, " " " " "	"	80	86 86
J. A. Hubbell, disbursements of account of mineral ex.,	"	81	225 00
J. A. Hubbell, " " " " " "	"	82	257 05
H. M. Clarke, disbursements on account of religious ex.,	"	83	46 45
C. Long & Co., disbursements on account agricultural ex.,	"	84	5 10
M. G. Loennecker, disbursements on account of agricultural exhibit, voucher No. 85			3 00

On motion, meeting adjourned.

MARK W. STEVENS, *Secretary.*

Meeting of the executive committee of the board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan held at the Russell House, Detroit, on Saturday, Nov. 12, 1892.

Present—Chairman Weston, Mr. Belden, Mr. Flynn and Secretary Stevens.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, Mr. Belding was authorized to place $8,000 additional insurance on the Michigan building.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, Mr. Weston was authorized to let contract to paint the building to C. F. Reed of Grand Rapids, in accordance with his proposal, for the sum of $490.00.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, Mr. Weston was authorized to obtain $50 worth of the half tone engravings of the Michigan building.

On motion Mr. Belden was instructed to let contract to wire the Michigan building and obtain proper electrical conductors and globes at the lowest possible price.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, Secretary Stevens was instructed to assist the lumber committee in soliciting subscriptions to defray the expenses of the forestry exhibit, and was instructed to visit the lumbermen in the State at such points as is thought best by Arthur Hill, chairman of the lumber committee.

The following accounts were presented, examined, audited and ordered paid by the executive committee:

M. Sabin, on acct. of agricultural exhibit, voucher No. 86	$20 30
A. C. Glidden, on acct. of agricultural exhibit, voucher No. 87	82 70
Milie Cliff, salary as stenographer, voucher No. 88	54 00
J. J. Woodman, on acct. of agricultural exhibit, voucher No. 89	198 97
J. H. Roberts, State exhibit, voucher No. 90	100 00
E. H. Belden, per diem, subsistence and disbursements, voucher No. 91	69 75
Mark W. Stevens, disbursements, voucher No. 92	21 80
C. H. Pelton & Co., State building, voucher No. 93	4,000 00
A. W. Jewett, ex. of grains and grasses " " 94	150 00
C. C. Pauli, work on State map " " 95	247 72
Tel. and Tel. Connection Co., tel. serv. in Pres. Weston's office voucher No. 96	15 00
Eaton, Lyon & Co., stationery in Pres. Weston's office voucher No. 97	11 57
George A. Hall & Co., stationery in Pres. Weston's office, voucher No. 98	6 20

On motion, meeting adjourned.

MARK W. STEVENS, *Secretary.*

Meeting of the executive committee of the Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan held at the Russell house, Detroit, Saturday, Dec. 17, 1892.

Present--Chairman Weston, Mr. Belden, Mr. Flynn and the secretary.

Miss Beebe, applicant for the position of matron in the Michigan building, came before the committee with reference to said position.

Mr. Belden reported that he had made a contract with the Waukesha Hygiea Mineral Spring company to furnish mineral water in the Michigan building at one cent per glass or five cents per gallon.

Mr. Belden presented the account of Eugene Glass, of Battle Creek, for $8.95 on account of the kennel exhibit, which said account was allowed, and the secretary authorized to forward vouchers to the claimant.

Mr. Belden also presented the bill of A. W. Jewett for $50 for the balance due Mr. Jewett after he should furnish a sufficient quantity, varieties and qualities of grain for exhibition. The account was allowed after Mr. Belden had informed the board that said account had been furnished according to contract, and the secretary was authorized to forward vouchers to Mr. Jewett.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, Mr. Pelton's bill of $3,000 on account of State building was given due consideration, and the same was approved subject to Mr. Belden's judgment and estimate.

The account of A. Vanderhulle, in the sum of $1,150, for lathing and plastering the Michigan building, 7,500 square yards, at 15 cents per square yard, amounting to $1,125, and for extra work, lathing and plastering, $25, was allowed subject to a remeasurement and re-estimate by Mr. Belden. Mr. Belden to report the same after such remeasurement to the secretary.

On motion of Mr. Belden the voucher made by him in the sum of $500.00 was approved by the committee, said amount to be used and disbursed in the construction of the building by Mr. Belden, superintendent of construction of State building. Said voucher to be made and approved by the executive committee as other vouchers are approved.

The following accounts were presented, examined, audited and ordered paid by the committee:

Mark W. Stevens, salary	Vou.	No. 99,	$166 66
Milie Cliff, salary	"	" 100,	45 00
E. H. Belden, per diem, sub. and disbursements	"	" 101,	116 24
J. B. Steere, on acct. of University ex	"	" 102,	96 00
" " " " "	"	" 103,	115 00
Ihling Bros. & Everard, stationery	"	" 104,	66 00
Peter White, premium on insurance	"	" 105,	200 00
Edwin B. Parks, on acct. of agr'l ex	"	" 106,	2 63
Abel N. Howe, " " " "	"	" 107,	17 44
Louis Blitz & Co., window glass for State building	"	" 108,	400 00
Abel N. Howe, on acct. of agr'l exhibit	"	" 109,	50 05
J. H. Roberts, salary and disburements	"	" 110,	115 25
West Michigan Printing Co., catalogue of fruits	"	" 111,	5 00
White, Friant & Letellier, State exhibits	"	" 112,	4 07
H. Leonard & Sons, fruit exhibit	"	" 113,	377 66

On motion, meeting adjourned.

MARK W. STEVENS, *Secretary.*

Dec. 28, 1892, account of Charles H. Pelton & Co., payable to W. S. Gunn, building, voucher No. 114 ..... $3,000 00

Voucher approved by mailing to members of executive committee.

MARK W. STEVENS, *Secretary.*

The President also announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith the report of expenditures of the Board of World's Fair Managers for Michigan from August, 1891, to date, as per secretary's books. Also a statement of the estimated expenditurss of the board.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

MICHIGAN WORLD'S FAIR STATEMENT
Grand Rapids, Mich., April 27, 1893

To the Governor:

I give you herewith report of expenditures of the Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan, from August, 1891, to date, as per secretary's books:

Drawn from State Treasurer	$70,001 60
Expended by board	56,416 09
In hands of board treasurer	13,585 00

EXPENDITURES.

Construction and furnishing State building	$33,244 73
Maintenance of State building	348 34
Board and general expenses, including per diem and expenses of members, clerk hire, printing, postage, etc., eighteen months	5,294 16
Secretary's salary	3,333 23
Secretary's expenses	579 64
State exhibits	2,419 66
Fruit exhibits	605 86
General agricultural exhibit	1,625 14
Mining exhibit	5,202 39
Forestry exhibit	145 33
Public school exhibit	999 96
State University and natural history exhibits	441 13
Woman's work exhibit	1,164 04
Church exhibit	165 56
Agricultural College and grain and grass exhibits	846 92
Total	$56,416 09

RECEIPTS OUTSIDE OF APPROPRIATION.

Cash collected by the board of forestry exhibit	$9,175 00
Cash collected by the board of mineral exhibit, about	7,000 00
Cash collected by the board's committee on public school exhibit, about	4,000 00
Cash collected by lady members for decorating building	1,500 00
Donations of paint from Boydell Bros. and Berry Bros. of Detroit	1,000 00
Furniture, etc., in Grand Rapids, Muskegon and Saginaw rooms contributed	5,000 00
Bed rooms and general rooms and all mantels from Grand Rapids and other furniture companies in the State	2,500 00
Tower clock and safe contributed	1,000 00
Pianos and pipe organ contributed	2,500 00
Total	$33,675 00

Excepting the forestry donations I cannot give exact figures, but the above are approximately correct.

Several members of the board have contributed considerable time and traveling expenses to collecting above money and material, for which no charge has been made to the State. So far the board has had to pay for furnishing the State building less than $100. I will add that for every dollar expended up to April 1 an itemized approved voucher is on file with the Auditor General in the State capitol, to whom they are sent on the first day of each month.

Very respectfully yours,

I. M. WESTON, *President.*

Mr. Morrow moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate bill No 237 (file No. 211), entitled

A bill to authorize the courts, justices of the peace and police justices of this State to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication to give a special recognizance conditioned for such persons taking the cure, for such drunkenness and intoxication and for the adjournment of the case against such person for a limited time for this purpose and to provide means for carrying out the same,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

The consideration of the bill was made the special order for Tuesday, May 2, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Mr. Morrow moved that the Senate adjourn until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Friday, April 28, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 214. By Mr. Hopkins: Petition of John A. Ryan, P. E. Richmond, A. S. Coutant and many other citizens of Mt. Pleasant praying for the passage of the Saturday half holiday bill.

Referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

No. 215. By Mr. Turnbull: Petition of Rev. H. H. VanAuken and other citizens, of Alpena, asking for the passage of the gold cure bill.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull, the petition was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

To the Senate and House of Representatives, Lansing, Mich.:

We, the undersigned, who have had experience in the city of Alpena for the past five years and upwards, would most respectfully petition for the passage of the bill that authorizes those complained against as common drunkards to take the liquor cure at public expense. We know at least 20 men in this city who formerly had been arrested and locked up several times each year and who did not support their families and whose families had to be supported by the public and by charity. That these men within

the past two years have taken the liquor cure and are now sober and industrious citizens and support themselves and families.

REV. H. H. VANAUKEN, Supt. of Poor,
E. A. WESTHROPE, Chief of Police,
E. A. RUEL, Sergeant of Police,
THOS. HARDY, Truant Officer,
ARTHUR WILKINSON, County Physician,
L. G. DAFOE, Prosecuting Attorney,
GEO. B. GREENING, City Attorney,
ANDREW HARSHAW, Mayor City of Alpena.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Clark sent up the following protest, asking that the same be spread on the Journal:

I desire to enter my protest in the most forcible language I would be permitted to use against the ———— procedure of yesterday in this body in several particulars. Not knowing what particular word will be permitted to fill the blank, will suggest "irregular," "arbitrary," "outrageous," "revolutionary." If none of these words are permitted, the Senate may supply a word or words which will convey this idea:

First, In not receiving an amendment which was offered by me to the bill known as the "Orange bill," thereby cutting off debate, after I had the floor without objection, having been recognized by the President, and had proceeded with my remarks upon the amendment some little time before objection to it was made by Senator Gibson of the Fourth;

Second, Against the frequent use of the motion of the previous motion to cut off debate.

Such procedure is not conducive to good legislation. On the contrary, it passes many vicious bills that would be defeated or properly amended if carefully considered. Members are frequently compelled thereby to vote against a bill for its demerits when if properly considered would vote for a bill evolved out of a principle he espouses. I note in the Journal of yesterday that nothing whatever appears in reference to the amendment herein referred to. The objection by Senator Gibson is omitted; also the vote by which it was not received. I submit that this is unfair treatment to a member of the minority; that it is an outrage upon the people of this State, if the Journal of this body is made up to fit ulterior purposes rather than to show the procedure from day to day of their representatives.

I ask that this issue of yesterday's Journal be destroyed and a correct one made up, in which a copy of this amendment herein referred to be printed, and the action of the Senate in reference thereto. I ask this in fairness to our constituents.

The protest was ordered spread on the Journal.

The Secretary stated that the Senate Journal of yesterday as corrected contains in full the amendment offered by Mr. Clark and the record of the action had thereon.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The President announced the following:

The following is a statement submitted by I. M. Weston, president of Michigan World's Fair Board, to the Governor and by him transmitted to the Legislature:

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES MICHIGAN WORLD'S FAIR BOARD.

Constructing and furnishing building	$38,000
Maintenance of building	14,000

Board and general expenses, two and one-half years	$12,000
Secretary's salary and expenses, two and one-half years	6,000
Agricultural exhibits	25,000
State exhibits	7,000
Mineral exhibits	7,500
Educational exhibits	4,000
Women's work exhibits	3,000
Forestry exhibit	3,500
State institutions exhibit	3,000
Fisheries exhibit	1,000
Contingent fund	4,000
Total	$128,000
Estimated salvage on building	3,000
Appropriation	$125,000

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Federal relations:

The committee on Federal relations, to whom was referred the following House concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, There is a bill now pending in congress entitled a bill to increase and equalize the pay of letter carriers; and

WHEREAS, There is no class of public servants that are harder working and more deserving of liberal remuneration for their efforts to accommodate the people; therefore

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That our Senators and Representatives in congress be and they are hereby requested to use all honorable means to secure the passage of said bill; and

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be and is hereby instructed to forward a copy of this resolution to each of our members in congress,

Which has been adopted by the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the Senate concur in the resolution, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. R. McLAUGHLIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

The Senate concurred.

By the committee on Agricultural College:

The committee on Agricultural College, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 338, entitled

A bill to provide for the examination of canditates for admission to the Agricultural College by the county commissioners of schools,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, Senator Clark dissenting, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JESSE D. CRANE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Insurance:

The committee on Insurance to whom was referred

House bill No. 566 (file No. 123), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 131 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, being an act entitled "An act in relation to life insurance companies transacting business within this State," as heretofore amended, by adding thereto one new section to be known as section 32, and intended to prevent distinction or discrimination between white persons and colored persons, wholly or partially of African descent, in insuring lives,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Liquor traffic:

The committee on Liquor traffic, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 130 (file No. 7C), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act number 31 of the public acts of the year 1887 (Howell's statutes, Sec. 1984s), entitled "An act to prohibit the maintenance of saloons or other places of entertainment in which intoxicating liquors are sold and to prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors within one mile of the Soldiers' Home,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 31 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to prohibit the maintenance of saloons and other places of entertainment in which intoxicating liquors are sold, and to prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors within one mile of the Soldiers' Home," approved March 17, 1887, being section 1984s of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

Mr. Doran moved to suspend the rules on the passage of the bill,

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 248 (file No. 72), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used,"

being act No. 136 of the session laws of 1887, the same being compiler's section 1691 and 1692 of volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 151 (file No. 174), entitled

A bill relating to the liability of employers for personal injuries sustained by their employés.

Also,

Senate bill No. 170 (file No. 175), entitled

A bill to determine and fix the liability of corporations other than municipal, for injuries to employés, and to extend the liability of such corporations in certain cases,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to determine, extend and fix the liability of railroad corporations and companies for personal injuries to employés,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 298 (file No. 181), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 152, of the session laws of 1889, being "An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 29, of the public acts of 1887," approved March 15, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows," as amended by act 152, of the public acts of 1889.

Also,

Senate bill No. 81 (file No. 63), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of boards of trade and chambers of commerce," being act No. 166, approved March 19, 1863.

Also,

Senate bill No. 391, entitled

A bill to reincorporate the village of Leonard, Oakland county, Michigan, and to add territory thereto.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Normal School:

The committee on Normal School, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 55, entitled

A bill to establish the Central Michigan Normal School and business institute at Mount Pleasant, Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to establish the Central Michigan State Normal School at Mount Pleasant, Michigan, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Seante bill No. 31 (file No. 178), entitled

A bill to provide for a commission to locate and mark the positions and places occupied by Michigan regiments and batteries who fought upon the battlefields of Chickamauga, Chattanooga and Mission Ridge, and to make an appropriation to defray the expenses of the same,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By striking out of line 2, of section 1, the word "three," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five,"

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe	
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Hough	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Doran	McGinley	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox	Mellen		26

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 370 (file No. 102), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the cities and villages of this State to provide for the lighting of their streets and other public places therein, by means of electric or other lights" being act number 186 of the public acts of 1891,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 663, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the townships of Albert and Briley, in the county of Montmorency, State of Michigan, and to organize the township of Vienna in said county,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 439, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 483 of the local acts of 1889, being an act entitled an act to amend section 9 of chapter 5, section 3 of chapter 17, and sections 8 and 23 of chapter 24 of act No. 405, of the local acts of 1887, entitled an act to amend and revise an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Marshall, being act No. 159 of the laws of 1859, approved February 14, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, approved March 23, 1887,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 138, entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 216 of the public acts of 1889, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation, and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the 21 judicial circuit," being section 6534*i* of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 868, entitled

A bill to change the name of Myrtie M. Smith to Myrtie M. Huntley,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clark	Hough	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Sabin	
Doran	McGinley	Steel	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	27

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 257 (file No. 172), entitled

A bill to prohibit the opening of barber shops on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, for the purpose of carrying on or engaging in the art or calling of hair cutting, shaving, hair dressing and shampooing, or in any work pertaining to the trade or business of a barber, on the said first day of the week, commonly called Sunday,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, been ordered to take effect May 30, 1893, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Labor interests.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Jewell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 486, entitled

A bill authorizing guardians to have appraised and sell at private sale the interest or share in real estate of minors and other persons under guardianship in certain cases, and under certain conditions and limitations,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The bill was referred to the committee on State affairs.

Mr. Morrow moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate on April 27 passed

House bill No. 367 (file No. 151), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the grand, district and subordinate lodges of the Loyal Orange Institution of the State of Michigan.

Mr. Gibson moved that the motion of Mr. Morrow be laid on the table; on which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Gibson then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Clapp	Gibson	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Sabin	
Earle	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	15

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Hough	Mr. Morrow	
Clark	McGinley	Mugford	
Doran	Mellen	Turnbull	
Gilbert			10

Mr. McGinley moved to discharge the committee on State affairs from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 486, entitled

A bill authorizing guardians to have appraised and sell at private sale the interest or share in real estate of minors and other persons under guardianship, in certain cases, and under certain conditions and limitations, and that the bill be referred to the committee on Judiciary,

Which motion did not prevail.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Morrow to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien

on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

But not having completed the consideration thereof ask leave to sit again thereon.

JAMES H. MORROW, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTER RECESS.

7:30 o'clock P. M.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on School for the Blind:

The committee on School for the Blind, to whom was referred House bill No. 774 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, supervision and government of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. R. McLAUGHLIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred House bill No. 69 (file No. 171), entitled

A bill to authorize the incorporation of associations and companies for the purpose of engaging in the business of conveying passengers, mails, merchandise and baggage with carriages, hacks, buses, wagons, sleighs and other vehicles, and for the transfer of passengers, merchandise and baggage by hack, bus, transfer and baggage companies,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and

that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon,

The President called Mr. Morrow to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

JAMES H. MORROW, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 55, entitled

A bill to establish the Central Michigan State Normal School at Mount Pleasant, Michigan, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend that the bill be re-referred to the committee on Normal school.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was re-referred to the committee on Normal school.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 173 (file No. 74), entitled

A bill to amend sections 42, 43 and 44 of chapter 11 of act number 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city

of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and the acts amendatory thereof,

Also,

Senate bill No. 82, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the Michigan pioneer and historical society for the years 1893 and 1894.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Elections:

The committee on Elections, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 466 (file No. 97), entitled

A bill to further preserve the purity of elections and guard against abuses of the elective franchise by providing for an official ballot, prescribing the manner of conducting elections and making returns thereof, and defining certain offenses and fixing penalties therefor,

Respectfully report the accompanying proposed substitute therefor, and request of the Senate that the same be printed for the use of the committee.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The request was granted, and the bill ordered printed for the use of the committee.

Mr. Weiss moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m., on Tuesday next.

Lansing, Tuesday, May 2, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Burt, French, McGinley, Sabin and Wilkins.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Sabin on account of a death in his family.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Burt.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. French.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Wilkins.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 216. By Mr. Gilbert: Petition of 113 men and women of Bay City, asking for the passage of the municipal suffrage to women bill, with educational clause inserted.

Referred to the committee on Education and public schools.

No. 217. By Mr. Clark: Petition of the Foster furniture company and 50 others against the passage of House file No. 232, in reference to the filing of notes the same as chattel mortgages.

On motion of Mr. Clark the petition was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

We, the undersigned residents of Jackson, Mich., do hereby respectfully remonstrate against the passage of House file No. 232, as an unnecessary interference with a perfectly legitimale and proper plan of transacting business. We do not think there is any demand for its passage, or that there is any evil which it will correct.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

No. 218. By Mr. Doran: Petition of Cyrus E. Perkins, Ed. H. Stein, Wm. E. Grove and many other citizens of Grand Rapids, praying for the passage of the bill providing for State care of the feeble-minded.

On motion of Mr. Doran, the petition was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

Grand Rapids, Michigan, April 21, 1893.

To the Senate, Lansing, Mich.:

GENTLEMEN—We, your petitioners, would respectfully, earnestly urge, in the interests of humanity and the State, that the bill providing for State care of the feeble-minded, which has recently passed the House of Representatives without a dissenting voice, be so passed by the Senate, and your petitioners will ever pray.

Referred to the committee on State affairs.

No. 219. By Mr. Turnbull: Remonstrance of Henry C. Wilde & Co., and 4 others of Petoskey, Emmet Co., against the passage of House file No. 232, relating to the filing of evidence of indebtedness.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, April 28, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 176 (file No. 260), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 4, 6, 9, 10, 12, 18 and 23 of act No. 276, laws of 1889 as amended by act No. 152, laws of 1891, entitled "An act for the protection of game,"

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on State affairs.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 216 (file 133), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate express companies and their agents, and individuals prosecuting the express business not incorporated by the State of Michigan," approved March 27, 1867, by adding one new section thereto to stand as section 7,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Fox	Mears	
Champion	Garvelink	Mellen	
Clapp	Gibson	Morrow	
Clark	Gilbert	Mugford	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Doran	Hough	Turnbull	
Earle	Jewell	Weiss	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon

The President called Mr. Mears to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 143, (file No. 221), entitled

A bill to amend section 1755 of chapter 58 of the compiled laws of 1857, as amended by act 32 of the public acts of 1871, as amended by act 80 of the public acts of 1881, the same being section 4588 of chapter 165 of Howell's annotated statutes, and being an act for the incorporation of charitable societies,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 334 (file No. 218), entitled

A bill to make an annual appropriation for the publication of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the superintendents of the poor of this State,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

WILLIAM MEARS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

AFTER RECESS.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 220. By Mr. Doran: Petition of the common council of the city of Grand Rapids against the proposed change in the charter which takes from the council the confirmation of city attorney.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The petition was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

By Alderman Gervers:

WHEREAS, The expression of the common council has heretofore been in favor of confirmation by the common council of appointments of city officials to the end that such appointments might be brought nearer to the people; and

WHEREAS, The proposed charter amendment now before the Senate committee on cities and villages violates the principle of confirmation in that regard, viz.: That the appointment of a city attorney shall not require confirmation by the common council; and

WHEREAS, The city attorney (more than any other city official) directly the legal advisor and counselor of the common council, and intimately connected with its doings at all times and with the respective members thereof, and other officials of the city, thereby making the subject of confirmation of a city attorney a matter of peculiar importance to the common council; therefore

Resolved, That we hereby express our disapproval of the amendment referred to, relative to the non-confirmation by the common council of a city attorney, and said amendment was inserted in said charter amendments without the knowledge of the common council or the committee on charter amendments, and request our Senators and Representatives to cause said amendment to be stricken from the charter amendments now pending before the Legislature; and be it

Further resolved, That the city clerk be and is hereby requested to forward to Hon. Peter Doran and Hon. Edmund M. Barnard, Senators from the county of Kent, Hon. Jeremiah Anderson, Hon. Arthur S. White and Hon. William A. Tateum, members of the House of Representatives from this city, a certified copy of these resolutions and preamble, and that said Senators and Representatives be and are here hereby requested to use all means in their power to prevent the passage of said amendment.

Referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Education and public schools:

The committee on Education and public schools, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 368, entitled

A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, for the purchase of grounds and the construction of school buildings, and to issue bonds therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, and to issue bonds therefor,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Champion	Gibson	Mugford	
Clapp	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Clark	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Mears		26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 2, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 367 (file No. 151), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the grand, district and subordinate lodges of the Loyal Orange institution of the State of Michigan,

Which the Senate amended by adding to the end of line 3 of section 1, the words: "*Provided*, That none but citizens of the United States shall be admitted as members of such institutions, and that the objects and purposes thereof shall not be repugnant to the constitution of this State and of the United States,"

And to inform the Senate that in said amendment the House has non-concurred;

And further to inform the Senate that the House asks for a committee of conference to consider the difference between the two houses, and has appointed Messrs. Bishop, Barkworth and McKinlay as such committee on the part of the House.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Clapp moved that the Senate insist on its amendment to the above named bill;

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Fox moved that the Senate ask for a committee of conference to whom shall be referred the matter of difference between the two houses regarding the above named bill;

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 143 (file No. 221), entitled

A bill to amend section 1755 of chapter 58 of the compiled laws of 1857, as amended by act 32 of the public acts of 1871, as amended by act 80 of the public acts of 1881, the same being section 4588, of chapter 165, of Howell's annotated statutes, and being an act for the incorporation of charitable societies,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Fox	Mellen	
Champion	Garvelink	Mugford	
Clapp	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clark	Gilbert	Pierce	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Doran	Hough	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	24
	NAYS		0

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 334 (file No. 218), entitled

A bill to make an annual appropriation for the publication of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the superintendents of the poor for this State,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnand	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears
Brundage	Garvelink	Mellen
Champion	Gibson	Mugford

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Pascoe	
Clark	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fleshiem			25
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and

Senate bill No. 237 (file No. 211), entitled

A bill to authorize the courts, justice of the peace and police justices of this State to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication to give a special recognizance conditioned for such persons taking the cure for such drunkenness and intoxication, and for the adjournment of the case against such person for a limited time for this purpose, and to provide means for carrying out the same,

The consideration of which had been made the special order for today at 3 o'clock p. m., was taken from that order and referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Morrow to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 237 (file No. 211), entitled

A bill to authorize the courts, justice of the peace and police justices of this State to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication to give a special recognizance conditioned for such persons taking the cure for such drunkenness and intoxication, and for the adjournment of the case against such person for a limited time for this purpose, and to provide means for carrying out the same.

House bill No. 566 (file No. 122), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 131 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, being an act entitled "An act in relation to life insurance companies transacting business within the State," as heretofore amended, by adding thereto one new section to be known as section 32, and intended to prevent distinction or discrimination between white persons and colored persons, wholly or partially of African descent in insuring lives.

House bill No. 69 (file No. 171), entitled

A bill to authorize the incorporation of associations and companies for the purpose of engaging in the business of conveying passengers, mails, merchandise and baggage with carriages, hacks, buses, wagons, sleighs and other vehicles, and for the transfer of passengers, merchandise and baggage by hack, bus, transfer and baggage companies,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 234 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments of this State, to provide for the inspection and regulation of such manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the enforcement of such regulation and inspection,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 248 (file No. 72), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used," being act No. 136 of the session laws of 1887; the same being compiler's sections 1691 and 1692 of volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the bill be laid upon the table.

JAMES H. MORROW, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was laid on the table.

Mr. Mears moved that the Senate adjourn;

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 237 (file No. 211), entitled

A bill to authorize the courts, justice of the peace and police justices of this State to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication to give a special recognizance conditioned for such persons taking the cure for such drunkenness and intoxication, and for the adjournment of the case against such person for a limited time for this purpose, and to provide means for carrying out the same.

Pending third reading of which

Mr. Weiss moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave. Messrs. McGinley and Turnbull.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

Mr. Turnbull was excused from the operation of the call.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentee.

Pending third reading of the above named bill,

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 566 (file No. 123), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 131 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, being an act entitled "An act in relation to life insurance companies transacting business within this State," as heretofore amended, by adding thereto one new section to be known as section 32, and intended to prevent distinction or discrimination between white persons and colored persons, wholly or partially of African descent in insuring lives,

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from the remainder of today's session.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Fox	Mears	
Champion	Garvelink	Mellen	
Clapp	Gibson	Morrow	
Clark	Gilbert	Mugford	
Crane	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Doran	Hough	Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Weiss	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 69 (file No. 171), entitled

A bill to authorize the incorporation of associations and companies for the purpose of engaging in the business of conveying passengers, mails, merchandise and baggage with carriages, hacks, buses, wagons, sleighs and other vehicles, and for the transfer of passengers, merchandise and baggage by hack, bus, transfer and baggage companies,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Champion	Garvelink	Mellen	
Clapp	Gibson	Morrow	
Clark	Gilbert	Mugford	
Crane	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Doran	Hough	Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 234 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the inspection and regulation of such manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the enforcement of such regulation and inspection,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Jewell moved to amend the bill by adding at the end of section 12 the following:

"*Provided*, That the exhaust fans aforesaid need not be provided in any manufacturing establishment before the end of six months from and after this act shall take effect."

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Doran	Mr. Jewell	
Brundage	Earle	Morrow	
Champion	Garvelink	Mugford	
Clapp,	Gibson	Steel	
Clark	Hopkins	Weiss	
Crane			16

NAYS.

Mr. Mellen	Mr. Pascoe	2

Mr. Gibson moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of ihe bill,

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The bill was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 138, entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 216 of the public acts of 1889, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensa-

tion, and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the 21st judicial circuit," being section 6534*i* of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

S. W. HOPKINS, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clark	Hough	Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	21
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take effect January 1, 1894.

Mr. Gibson moved that the Senate adjourn.

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the motion by making the time of adjournment 10 o'clock tomorrow morning,

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion of Mr. Gibson then prevailed and the President declared the Senate adjourned until 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Lansing, Wednesday, May 3, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Hopkins and Steel.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

Leave of absence was granted the absentees from today's session.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 221. By Mr. Doran: Protest of the common council of the city of Grand Rapids, against the taxation of church and benevolent associations.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The protest was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

By Ald. Turner:

WHEREAS, There is now pending before the State Legislature a bill which proposes, among other things, to impose taxes upon the property of all charitable and benevolent associations in this State;

Resolved, That the common council of the city of Grand Rapids hereby express their disapproval of such taxation, and request our Representatives and Senators to vote against said bill.

Adopted.

Referred to the committee on taxation.

No. 222. By Mr. Doran: Protest and remonstrance of Col. Geo. C. Briggs, John Patton Jr., Judge Grove and 200 others against a proposed change in the charter of Grand Rapids.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The protest was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

To the Honorable the Senate of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned, citizens of the State, and residents of the city of Grand Rapids, respectfully remonstrate against the proposed amendment of the charter of the city of Grand Rapids whereby it is provided that the mayor may appoint the city attorney without confirmation by the common council. The proposed amendment was not suggested by the council committee on charter amendments, nor by the common council, nor by the citizens, nor has it ever been thought advisable to make the suggested change at any time in the past history of the city. It proposes to select from all other officers of the council, this one office, and in that special case give the mayor absolute power of appointment. We see no valid reason for such peculiar discrimination, but on the contrary, we see many reasons to condemn such action at the present time.

Referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred the subject of mileage,

Beg leave to make a supplemental report, and that mileage be allowed Samuel M. Wilkins (Senator) for forty miles, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and adopted.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 40, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill making the mill tax available for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan for the year 1893 and every year thereafter,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred House bill No. 936, entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation of $2,000.00 for an exhibit of the work of the public schools of Michigan at the World's Fair,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendmedt, and recommended that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 488, entitled

A bill to amend or revise the charter or act to incorporate the city of Negaunee,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 2, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 4, and section 5 of chapter 8 of act No. 255 of the local acts of 1891, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Negaunee, in Marquette county, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Negaunee, in Marquette county,' approved April 11, 1873, and the acts amendatory thereof," approved March 27, 1891,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow
Clapp	Gilbert	Mugford
Crane	Hough	Pascoe
Doran	Jewell	Pierce

Mr. Earle	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Turnbull
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fox	Mears	Wilkins
French		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 14), entitled

A bill to amend section fourteen of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit, approved February 24, 1869, as amended by act number 397 of the acts of 1891, and to repeal section fifteen of said act, approved February 24, 1869,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 356, entitled

A bill to amend sections 130, 149, 158, 173, 175, and 177, of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 13, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisonary thereof, and to repeal section 69 of said act,

Which passed the Senate March 24, 1893, and which the House amended as follows:

1. By inserting the words "sixty-two, seventy-eight, one hundred and six," in section 1 after the word "sections."

2. By inserting the words "one hundred and fifty" in section 1, line 2, after the word "forty-nine."

3. By adding a new section thereto to stand as section 62 of this act to read as follows, to wit:

SEC. 62. The board of public works of Bay City shall consist of a city surveyor, city comptroller and three electors of said city, who shall be appointed by the council by a majority vote of the aldermen elect. The members of such board hereafter appointed shall hold their offices for three years: *Provided, however*, The members of said board as now constituted shall hold their offices until the expiration of the time for which they were respectively appointed. As the respective terms of the members of such board expire one member of such board shall be appointed each year by the council by a majority of all the aldermen elect, who shall hold his office for three years. In case of a vacancy the council shall, by a majority vote of all the aldermen elect, fill such vacancy for the remainder of the unexpired term. Any person appointed a member of said board shall hold his office until his successor is appointed and qualified.

4. By adding a new section thereto to stand as section seventy-eight of this act, to read as follows, to wit:

SEC. 78. The board of police commissioners shall consist of five persons having the qualifications of electors, who shall be elected by a majority vote of all the members elect of the common council: *Provided, however*, That the present members of said board, including the chairman, shall be continued in office until the expiration of their present terms of office: *And provided further*, That the members hereafter appointed shall hold office for a term of five years. The common council shall, by ordinance, prescribe the powers and duties to be exercised by said board, and shall place under the direction of said board, subject to the supervisory control of the council, the care, control and management of the police force, its organization, government, appointment and discipline, and the custody and control of all public property, books, records and equipments thereunto belonging. The common council shall also by ordinance provide that said board shall keep a written record of its proceedings, to be signed by the chairman and clerk thereof, which shall be open to public inspection at all reasonable times. The common council shall also, at any time, have the power to remove any member of said board in the same manner as heretofore provided for the removal of public officers in section eight of this act. Said commissioners shall meet on the first Monday in May of each year, or as soon thereafter as may be, and select one of their number chairman, who shall be known as chairman of the board of police commissioners.

5. By adding a new section thereto to stand as section 106 of this act to read as follows, to wit:

SEC. 106. The street commissioner shall, under the direction of the council, superintend the making, grading, repairing and planking and opening of all streets, lanes, alleys, bridges, sidewalks, drains and sewers within the limits of the city, in such manner as he may, from time to time, be required: *Provided, however*, The council may, if it be deemed expedient, appoint a sidewalk inspector, whose duty it shall be to inspect all sidewalks, cross-walks, culverts and streets within the city limits of Bay City, and to keep a record of any defects therein, or obstructions thereon, and to report the same to the city attorney and to the street commissioner of Bay City, and to order the latter to forthwith remove any such obstruction, or to repair any such defect as is likely to result in personal injury. It shall also be the duty of said inspector to see that such orders are forthwith executed, and to report to the city attorney any failure on the part of the street commissioner to immediately execute his said orders; and also to keep a record of the time of compliance therewith.

He shall also report to the city attorney any failure on the part of any contractor or person to place proper guards, signals and lights on any obstruction or excavation on the streets or sidewalks of said city. Said inspector of sidewalks shall receive such compensation as the council may direct, not to exceed three dollars per day while actually employed; and he shall give a bond to the city for the faithful performance of his duties, and in such sum as may be fixed by the council. It shall be the duty of the street commissioner to immediately make any repair, remove any obstruction, or comply with any order of the said sidewalk inspector. Said sidewalk inspector, when not engaged in the duties above prescribed, shall act as the inspector of public works under the direction of the city surveyor.

6. By striking out in line 5 of section 130 the words, "the streets so used," and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "So much of any street or streets so used as the council may deem just and proper; but before any railroad or street railway company shall lay any track or tracks upon any street or part of a street, such company shall procure and file with the recorder the written consent of at least three-fifths in number of the persons owning property fronting upon either side of such street, or part of a street, that such company may lay its track or tracks thereon and operate the same. And as a further condition of the use by any railroad or street railway of any street or streets which may have been in whole or part paved, planked or macadamized prior to such use by any railroad or street railway, the council shall have power to require any corporation or persons owning such railroad or street railways to pay such proportion of the original cost of such planking, paving or macadamizing of such street or streets as the council may deem just and proper.

The fines so paid to the city treasurer shall be distributed and paid over by him, under the direction of the comptroller, to and among the property owners and municipal corporations originally assessed for the cost of such paving, planking or macadamizing, *pro rata*. The width of any street occupied by any such company shall in all cases be measured from a point distant one foot and two inches from the outer side of the outermost rail on one side of the center of the street to a point distant one foot and two inches from the outer side of the outermost rail on the other side of the center of said street. And as a further condition, the council may require such railroads and street railways."

7. By striking out in line 9 of section 130, the word "thereto," and inserting instead thereof the words, "to the use of the streets by any railroad or street railway."

8. By adding to the end of section 130 the following: "*Provided, however*, That nothing herein contained shall be deemed to deprive the owner or owners of any property abutting on any street or streets through which such railroad or street railway may pass, of his or her right of action against the person or corporation owning such railroad or street railway for damages incurred by reason of such use of any street or streets."

9. By striking out in lines 2 and 3 of section 149 the words, "on the nomination of the mayor;" and inserting instead thereof, the words, "by a majority vote of all the aldermen-elect;" and by inserting in line 16 after the word "adopt," the words: "Any person owning any stock or shares, or being any partner, or directly interested in any electric light company, shall be disqualified from becoming a member of the electric light commission, and from continuing to act as such." And by striking out of line seventeen the words, "three-fourths," and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "two-thirds."

10. By adding a new section to stand as section 150 of this act, to read as follows:

SEC. 150. The persons first apppointed by the council as electric light commissioners shall hold office, one until the first day of May, 1888, one until the first day of May, 1889, one until the first day of May, 1890, one until the first day of May, 1891, and one until the first day of May, 1892, and until their successors are elected and qualified; and all persons subsequently appointed, except for the purpose of filling vacancies, shall hold their offices for five years and until their successors are elected and qualified. In case any vacancy

occurs, the council, by a majority vote of all the aldermen elect, shall appoint some person to fill the unexpired portion of the term. Said commissioners shall be subject to removal by a majority vote of all the aldermen elect.

11. By adding to section 158 in line 1 after the word "board," the words, "when authorized by the council."

12. By striking out entire section 2 of this act which reads as follows: "Section 69 is hereby repealed."

And the title to which the House amended to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 62, 78, 106, 130, 149, 150, 158, 173, 175 and 177 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City, approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend that the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to the bill, and further recommend that the title to said bill as amended by the House be agreed to, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate did not concur, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Jewell	
Brundage	Fox	Mears	
Clapp	French	Pierce	
Crane	Garvelink	Weiss	
Earle	Gibson	Wilkins	15

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	
Doran	Morrow	Turnbull	6

Mr. Gibson moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate non-concurred in the amendments made by the House to the bill.

Pending which,

Mr. Clark moved that the motion of Mr. Gibson be laid on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion of Mr. Gibson to reconsider the vote by which the Senate non-concurred in the amendments made by the House to the bill then prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

Senate bill No. 68 (file No. 18), entitled

A bill in relation to taxable transfers of property,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Supplies and expenses:

The committee on Supplies and expenses, to whom was referred the following accounts:

Americanus Water Co., water for April (250 gals.)	$25 00
Mary Wilcox, washing for month April	14 66
Bennett & Brake, cleaning fluid	3 00
Page & Turney, matches	1 00

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the accounts be allowed, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and adopted.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 227, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of the State officers named in the constitution of this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendment thereto, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and further recommend that the title of the bill be amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to fix the salaries of certain State officers named in the constitution of this State.

And ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

Lansing, April 28, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 212, being

An act to incorporate the village of Warren in the county of Macomb, State of Michigan.

Very respectfully,

JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

Lansing, April 27, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 81 (file No. 63), being

An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of boards of trade and chambers of commerce," being act No. 166, approved March 19, 1863.

Also,

Senate bill No. 298 (file No. 181), being

An act to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 152 of the session laws of 1889, being "An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 29, of the public acts of 1887," approved March 15, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows," as amended by act 152 of the public acts of 1889.

Also,

Senate bill No. 391 (manuscript), being

An act to reincorporate the village of Leonard, Oakland county, Michigan, and to add territory thereto.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 749 (file No. 279), entitled

A bill to regulate and govern the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Reformatory at Ionia.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 115 (file No. 43), entitled

A bill to provide for placing on the retired list, on reduced pay, members of the metropolitan police force of the city of Detroit, who shall have become disabled or incapacitated while in the active performance of official duty, and members of said force and persons in the employ of the

police board of said city of Detroit who, after twenty-five years faithful continuous service, shall have become permanently incapacitated from performing regular active duty,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

By inserting in line 12 of section one, after the word "duty" the words "which finding shall be approved by said board by resolution duly of record,"

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	French	Mugford
Clapp	Garvelink	Pascoe
Crane	Gibson	Turnbull
Doran	Jewell	Weiss
Earle	McGinley	Wilkins
Fleshiem	Mears	20

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 101 (file No. 29), entitled

A bill conferring upon cities and villages in this State the power to construct, acquire by purchase, operate and maintain works for the purpose of supplying such cities and villages and the inhabitants thereof with gas, electric and other lights,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 553 (file No. 252), entitled

A bill to provide for ascertaining, adjudicating and determining the termination of life estates in real and personal property,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 603 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to provide for selecting seats for members in the hall of the House of Representatives,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference,

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	French	Mellen	
Clapp	Garvelink	Mugford	
Clark	Gibson	Pascoe	
Crane	Gilbert	Pierce	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:
House bill No. 214 (file No. 158), entitled
A bill to amend section 27 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the establishment, opening, improving and maintaining of highways and public roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State, as amended by act No. 166 of the public acts of 1883, and act No. 231 of the public acts of 1889,"
Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Roads and bridges.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:
House bill No. 862 (file No. 286), entitled
A bill to prohibit catching or taking fish in Maple river and tributary streams in any other manner than with hook and line,
Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Fisheries.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:
House bill No. 397 (file No. 152), entitled
A bill to amend rection 7 of act No. 225 of the public acts of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of Baptist churches," being section 4702 of Howell's annotated statutes,
Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Religious and benevolent societies.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 396 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Baptist convention of the State of Michigan, being act No. 42 of the session laws of 1842," approved February 16, A. D. 1842,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Religious and benevolent societies.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 624 (file No. 233), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 44 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to define the qualifications of deputy sheriffs and under sheriffs to be hereafter appointed in this State," approved March 24, 1887, being section 596*a* of the 3d volume of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 382 (file No. 278), entitled

A bill to amend section seven of chapter 154 of the the revised statutes of 1846, relative to offenses against property, being section number 9129 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 795 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 45 of chapter 150, being section 4247 of compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 16 of the session laws of 1877, and act No. 225 of the public acts of 1885, and also by act No. 3 of the public acts of 1887, relative to "Alienation by deed and the proof and recording of conveyances and the canceling of mortgages," being section 5705 of third volume of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 368, entitled

A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, and to issue bonds therefor,

In the passage of which the House has concurred, by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Fox moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 222, entitled

A bill to amend the village charter of the village of Vassar, in the county of Tuscola;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties and townships.

Mr. Brundage offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That a committee of three from the Senate be appointed to confer with a like committee from the House relative to the proper distribution of the Legislative Manual;

Which resolution was adopted.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 34 (file No. 234), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein, approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto, to stand as section 7 of said act, in place of section 7 which was repealed by act 67, approved May 10, 1879.'"

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The further consideration of the above named bill was postponed and made the special order for Tuesday next at 3 o'clock p. m.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon,

The President called Mr. Earle to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 936, entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation of $2,000 for an exhibit of the work of the public schools of Michigan at the World's fair.

Senate bill No. 40, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 437 (file No. 217), entitled

A bill regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations.

House bill No. 774 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, supervision and government of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Senate bill No. 203 (fileNo. 228), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 25 of the public acts of the year 1887, approved March 9, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for three additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit," so as to provide two other additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit.

Senate bill No. 88 (file No. 219), entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of act No. 40, of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act for the republication and sale of such of the reports of the

Supreme Court of this State as are or may become out of print and have not been stereotyped; and to repeal act No. 217 of the session laws of 1875, being an act entitled 'An act to provide for the republication and sale of such of the reports of the Supreme Court of this State as are or may become out of print,'" approved May 3, 1875, being section 7226 of 2d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan of 1882,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 936, entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation of $2,000 for an exhibit of the work of the public schools of Michigan at the World's Fair,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen
Champion	Gibson	Morrow
Clark	Gilbert	Mugford
Crane	Hough	Pascoe
Doran	Jewell	Pierce
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fox	Mears	Wilkins
French		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

In announcing his vote on the passage of the above named bill Mr. Clark offered the following explanation:

I desire to say in explaining my vote on this bill, that this is the result of moving the previous question, this appropriation need never have been called for, had not an amendment to the Worlds' Fair bill been defeated, by the previous question; that bill should have provided for the educational and for the agricultural departments; now, unless this bill passes, the contributions of the children in penny collections cannot be installed, which would be an outrage; therefore, I accept the least of two evils and vote yes. I regret that something was not done to protect the agricultural interests.

Senate bill No. 40, entitled

A bill making the mill tax available for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan for the year 1893 and every year thereafter,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen
Champion	Gibson	Morrow
Clapp	Gilbert	Mugford
Clark	Hough	Pascoe
Doran	Jewell	Pierce
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fox	Mears	Wilkins
French		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 203 (file No. 228), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 25 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 9, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for three additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit," so as to provide two other additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Hough moved to amend the bill as follows;

1. By striking out all after the word "sufficient," in line 4, of section 1, up to and including the word "count," in line 10, of said section.

2. By striking out of line 4, of section 1, the word "four," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three;"

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford
Crane	Hough	Pascoe
Doran	Jewell	Pierce
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss
French	Mears	Wilkins
Garvelink	Mellen	20

NAYS

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Clapp	Mr. Fox
Champion	Clark	5

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Hough moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 25 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 9, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for three additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit," so as to provide one other additional circuit judge for the third judicial circuit.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. Hough moved that the bill be given immediate effect.

On which motion Mr. Weiss demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to give the bill immediate effect then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mellen
Crane	Gilbert	Mugford
Doran	Hough	Pascoe
Earle	Jewell	Pierce
Fleshiem	McGinley	Turnbull
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss
French	Mears	Wilkins
Garvelink		22
NAYS		0

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McLaughlin offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the daily sessions of the Senate be held at 10 o'clock a. m. until otherwise ordered.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Weiss offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, In the death of Hon. Alexander Chapoton the State of Michigan has lost one of its distinguished citizens, and in particular is indebted to his constructive ability, knowledge, skill and honesty, for the substantial qualities, permanency and beauty of this capitol, he having been the commissioner having the supervision and charge of the masonry; and

WHEREAS, His great abilities in the same line of work were displayed in the construction of the Northern Insane Asylum, in all of which he gave the State the benefit of his services, as a public spirited citizen, disregarding all fee or reward; therefore

Resolved (the House concurring), That the flags of the capitol be displayed at half mast until after the funeral of Alexander Chapoton, in public recognition of his services to the State, his honorable character as a citizen, and his amiable and deserving qualities as an honest man, and that a copy of these resolutions, duly signed by the presiding officers, the Secretary and Clerk of the two Houses be sent by the Engrossing Clerk of the Senate to the family of Mr. Chapoton;

Which resolution was adopted.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 31 (file No. 178), entitled

A bill to provide for a commission to locate and mark the positions and places occupied by the Michigan regiments and batteries who fought upon

the battle fields of Chickamauga, Chattanooga and Mission Ridge, and to make an appropriation to defray the expenses of the same.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

Mr. Fleshiem moved that the Senate adjourn;

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Lansing, Thursday, May 4, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave, Mr. Steel.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Steel until next Monday.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 223. By Mr. Clark: Petition of J. M. Wyler, R. D. Baker and forty others favoring the passage of the Saginaw charter bill.

On motion of Mr. Clark the petition was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

Saginaw, E. S., Mich., April 20, 1893.

We, the undersigned citizens and residents of the city of Saginaw, Saginaw county, Michigan, most respectfully and earnestly petition the Senate of Michigan to pass the bill amending the charter of the city of Saginaw, as recommended by the common council of Saginaw and as passed by the House of Representatives, and we particularly favor that portion of the bill increasing the number of the board of police commissioners to five and making the mayor ex officio a member thereof and we will ever pray.

Referred to committee on Cities and villages.

No. 224. By Mr. Morrow: Remonstrance of citizens of Adrian against the passage of House file No. 232 relative to the filing of evidences of indebtedness.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

Senate bill No. 159, entitled

A bill to create the 34th judicial circuit, and provide for the holding of courts therein,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amend-

ment thereto, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and further recommend that the title of the bill be amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to create the 34th judicial circuit, and to provide for the holding courts therein,

And ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committees on House of Correction at Marquette and State Prison (jointly):

The committees on House of Correction at Marquette and State Prison (jointly), to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the upper peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. MILTON EARLE,
Chairman State Prison Committee.

PETER PASCOE,
Chairman House of Correction at Marquette Committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 374, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Grand Rapids to issue its bonds for the improvement of the navigation of Grand river,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Grand Rapids to issue its bonds for the improvement of the navigation of Grand river, and for the appointment of a board of commissioners therefor, and to prescribe their powers and duties,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Doran moved to amend the bill by striking out in line 1 of section 7 the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and by;"

Which motion prevailed.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow
Champion	Gibson	Mugford
Clapp	Gilbert	Pascoe
Clark	Hopkins	Pierce
Crane	Hough	Sawyer
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull
Earle	McGinley	Weiss
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins
Fox	Mears	29

NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 641 (file No. 272), entitled

A bill to establish a public hospital in the city of Detroit,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford
Champion	Gilbert	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce
Clark	Hough	Sawyer
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull

Mr. Doran	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fleshiem	Mears		
French	Mellen		28
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 439, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 483 of the local acts of 1889, being an act entitled "An act to amend section 9 of chapter 5, section 3 of chapter 17 and sections 8 and 23 of chapter 24 of act No. 405 of the local acts of 1887, entitled an act to amend and revise an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Marshall, being act No. 159 of the laws of 1859, approved February 14, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 23, 1887,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Crane	Hough	Pierce	
Doran	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			25
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 856, entitled

A bill to provide for and confirm the board of health for the city of Detroit, and prescribe its powers and duties,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 379 (file No. 289), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 39 of acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of institutions of learning," approved Feb. 9, 1855, as amended by act No. 99 of public acts of 1885, the same being section No. 4378 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to visiting institutions of learning,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Education and public schools.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 621 (file No. 290), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, being compiler's section 1559 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act number 163 of the session laws of 1875, approved April 29, 1875, and as amended by act number 208 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 2, 1881, the same being section 1591 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Labor interests.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 40 (file No. 154), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorportion of the State grand lodge and subordinate lodges of the order of Herman's Sons in the State of Michigan,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Religious and benevolent societies.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 437 (file No. 217), entitled

A bill regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. McGinley moved to amend the bill by inserting after the word "member" in line 12 of section 1, the following: "*Provided*, That where an applicant or member has no relative as above provided to whom he may make his certificate payable, in such case, he may designate any other person, or make his estate his beneficiary;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Morrow moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 6 section 5, the following:

'Upon receiving such report and copy of the laws or constitution the commissioner shall examine them and if they are found to be in conformity with the provisions of this act, he shall issue to such association a license or certificate of authority to continue its business for another year and no such association shall be authorized to do any business unless so licensed;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Hopkins moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 4 of section 1 the words "shall have," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "having."

2. By striking out of line 5 of section 1 the words "shall make," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "making;"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow
Clapp	Gibson	Mugford
Clark	Gilbert	Pascoe

Mr. Crane	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pierce	
Doran	Hough	Sawyer	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	27

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. McGinley moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to define what shall constitute fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations; to provide for their incorporation and the regulation of their business, and for the punishment for violation of the provisions of the act of their incorporation, and to repeal all existing acts inconsistent therewith;

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order whereupon,

The President called Mr. Earle to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 4, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 40, entitled

A bill making the mill tax available for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan for the year 1893 and every year thereafter,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 4, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 374, entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Grand Rapids to issue its bonds for the improvement of the navigation of Grand river and for the appointment of a board of commissioners therefor and to prescribe their powers and duties,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 4, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No 574, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Crystal Falls in the county of Iron to lease, purchase, construct and maintain water power with which to run the water and electric plants of said village and to issue bonds therefor,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 4, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 828, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 314 of the local acts of 1885 relative to election of school officers at the annual meeting in the township of Bangor in Bay county,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Counties and townships,

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Hopkins moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 456, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Harbor Springs and to repeal act 305 of the session laws of 1881, approved March 10, A. D. 1881;

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The bill was referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTER RECESS.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Turnbull moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 237 (file No. 211), entitled

A bill to authorize the courts, justice of the peace and police justices of this State to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication to give a special recognizance conditioned for such persons taking the cure for such drunkenness and intoxication, and for the adjournment of the case against such person for a limited time for this purpose, and to provide means for carrying out the same;

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Weiss moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Barnard, Champion, Jewell and Wilkins.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Mr. Jewell was excused from the operation of the call.
On motion of Mr. Sabin,
Mr. Champion was excused from the operation of the call.
On motion of Mr. Weiss,
The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.
The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Wilkins at the bar of the Senate.
On motion of Mr. Weiss,
Mr. Wilkins was excused from the operation of the call.
The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Barnard at the bar of the Senate.
On motion of Mr. Sabin,
Mr. Barnard was excused from the operation of the call.
The bill was then read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,
Mr. Pierce moved to amend the bill by striking out in line 8, Sec. 1 the words "established cure" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "corporation organized under the statutes of this State for the purpose of administering such cure and required by law to make and file reports in reference thereto;"
Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.
The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Hopkins	Pierce	
Doran	Hough	Sabin	
Earle	McGinley	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mears	Weiss	
Garvelink	Mellen	Wilkins	
Gibson	Mugford		23

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Clark	2

Title agreed to.
On motion of Mr. Turnbull,
By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect 30 days after the adjournment of the Legislature.
In announcing his vote on the above named bill Mr. Clapp requested that the following explanation be spread on the Journal;
Which request was granted.
"Believing the provisions of this bill to be unconstitutional I vote no.
"F. W. CLAPP."
By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Sabin offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That hereafter until otherwise ordered by the Senate, whenever the Senate shall resolve itself into committee of the whole on the general order, no bill shall be considered except
Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled
A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien

on the lands taxed and providing for, establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

Until said bill shall be finally disposed of by said committee;

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Gibson moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 356, entitled

A bill to amend sections 130, 149, 158, 173, 175 and 177 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 13, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof, and to repeal section 69 of said act;

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clapp	Gibson	Pierce	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Jewell	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Clark	Hough	Mugford	
Doran	Mellen		8

The question then being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title of the bill,

The Senate concurred.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Brundage moved that a respectful message be sent to the House asking the return to the Senate of

Senate substitute for House bill No. 53 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purposes of constructing, owning, controlling and leasing buildings for hotels, elevators and public halls," being act No. 70 of the public acts of 1887, approved April 15, 1887; and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 13;

Which motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 115 (file No. 43), entitled

A bill to provide for placing on the retired list, on reduced pay, members of the metropolitan police force of the city of Detroit who shall have become disabled or incapacitated while in the active performance of official duty, and members of said force and persons in the employ of the police board of said city of Detroit who, after 25 years faithful, continuous service, shall have become permanently incapacitated from performing regular active duty.

Also,

Senate bill No. 368, entitled

A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, and to issue bonds therefor.

Also,

Senate bill No. 40, entitled

A bill making the mill tax available for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan for the year 1893 and every year thereafter.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on Religious and benevolent societies to whom was referred

House bill No. 396 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Baptist convention of the State of Michigan, being act No. 42 of the session laws of 1842, approved February 16, A. D. 1842,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on Religious and benevolent societies to whom was referred

House bill No. 397 (file No. 152), entitled

A bill to amend section 7 of act number 225 of the public acts of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of Baptist churches," being section 4702 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which was referred

House bill No. 624 (file No. 233), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 44 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to define the qualifications of deputy sheriffs and under

sheriffs to be hereafter appointed in this State," approved March 24, 1887, being section 596*a* of the third volume of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which was referred House bill No. 795 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 45 of chapter 150, being section 4247 of compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 16 of the session laws of 1877 and act No. 225 of the public acts of 1885, and also by act No. 3 of the public acts of 1887, relative to "alienation by deed and the proof and recording of conveyances and the canceling of mortgages," being section 5705 of third volume of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendment thereto, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and further recommend that the title of the bill be amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 45 of chapter 150 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended, the same being section 5705 of third Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the cancellation of real estate mortgages,

And ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

The President announced the following:

Detroit, Mich., May 1, 1893.

The Honorable Senate of the State of Michigan:

GENTLEMEN—A largely attended meeting of the Detroit Episcopal Church and Sunday School Alliance representing every church of that denomination in the city of Detroit was held last evening, at which the following resolution was unanimously passed and ordered to be transmitted to your honorable body.

Resolved, That in view of the fact that a bill is now before the Legislature of this State favoring the taxation of church property, we hereby express ourselves as unalterably opposed to its passage and respectfully request your honorable body that the bill be not passed.

FOR THE DETROIT M. E. CHURCH AND S. S. ALLIANCE.

Referred to the committee on Taxation.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Monday's session.

On motion of Mr. Mellen,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Monday night.

On motion of Mr. French,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Monday night.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon,

The President called Mr. Earle to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.

Mr. Fox moved that the Senate adjourn;

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Friday, May 5, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Barnard and Fleshiem.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Leave of absence was granted to the absentees from today's session.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Monday night.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Fleshiem until Monday night.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 225. By Mr. Wilkins: Petition of S. A. Long. W. L. Bennett, C. L. Wilcox, and other citizens of Eaton Rapids praying to have the present mortgage tax law amended.

On motion of Mr. Wilkins,

The petition was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

Eaton Rapids, Mich., March 23, 1893.

Hon. S. M. Wilkins, Lansing, Mich.:

DEAR SIR—We, the undersigned, wish and *expect* you to do what you can to have the present mortgage tax law amended by inserting a clause making it a misdemeanor for inserting or making it a consideration in a note or mortgage whereby the borrower shall pay the tax, with the penalty of forfeiture of all interest on said note or mortgage. If the law is repealed those who vote for the repeal will "hear something drop" at the next election.

Referred to the committee on Taxation.

No. 226. By Mr. Gilbert: Resolution of the common council of Bay City protesting against the taxation of churches and church property.

Referred to the committee on Taxation.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and settings, for a water tower and for new engines and settings at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo,

Which passed the Senate April 5, 1893, and which the House amended as follows:

1. By inserting in lines 6 and 7 of section 1 the words, "for electric lighting, eighteen thousand dollars."

2. By inserting in line 1 of section 3 the word "forty-five" in lieu of the word "thirty-six."

3. By inserting in line 3 of section 3 the word "forty-five" in lieu of the word "thirty-six,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the Senate do not concur in the amendments made by the House, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

Mr. Fox moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on Finance and appropriations;

Which motion did not prevail.

After some time spent in debate,

Mr. Hough moved the previous question;

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being, "Shall the main question now be put?"

The same was ordered.

The question then being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

The Senate did not concur, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clark	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	McGinley	Weiss	
Gibson	Morrow	Wilkins	15

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Crane	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Earle	Jewell	Sawyer	9

Mr. Clapp moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate non-concurred in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred House bill No. 427 (File No. 248), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State Public Schools for the years 1893 and 1894, for making improvements at that institution, and to provide a tax for the same,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred House bill No. 132 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to provide for the erection of two cottages for patients, to purchase lands, to erect a barn at the Northern Michigan Asylum, Traverse City, Michigan, and making appropriations therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The bill was re-referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on Religious and benevolent societies, to whom was referred

House bill No. No. 40 (file No. 154), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the State grand lodge and subordinate lodges of the Order of Hermann's Sons in the State of Michigan.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without

amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAN W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 621 (file No. 290), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts, and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, being compiler's section 1559, of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 163, of the session laws of 1875, approved April 29, 1875, and as amended by act No. 208, of the public acts of 1881, approved June 2, 1881, the same being section 1591, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

F. W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 721 (file No. 242), entitled

A bill to amend section 28 of chapter 150, of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 5682 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the keeping by registers of deeds of a proper general index to each set of books kept in his office.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Fisheries:

The committee on Fisheries, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 429 (file No. 182), entitled

A bill for the protection of fish and the regulation of fishing in the waters of this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill for the protection of fish and the regulation of fishing in the waters of this State,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject, Senator McGinley dissenting.

C. F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 382 (file No. 278), entitled

A bill to amend section 7, of chapter 154 of the revised statutes of 1846, relative to offenses against property, being section No. 9129 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 4, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 40 (manuscript), being

An act making the mill tax available for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan for the year 1893 and every year thereafter.

Also,

Senate bill No. 31 (file No. 178), being

An act to provide for a commission to locate and mark the positions and places occupied by the Michigan regiments and batteries who fought upon the battle fields of Chickamauga, Chattanooga and Mission Ridge, and to make an appropriation to defray the expenses of the same.

Also,

Senate bill No. 173 (file No. 74), being

An act to amend sections 42, 43 and 44 of chapter 11 of act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and the acts amendatory thereof.

Also,

Senate bill No. 82 (file No. 142), being

An act making an appropriation for the Michigan pioneer and historical society for the years 1893 and 1894.

Also,

Senate bill No. 115 (file No. 43), being

An act to provide for placing on the retired list, on reduced pay, members of the metropolitan police force of the city of Detroit, who shall have become disabled or incapacitated while in the active performance of official duty, and members of said force and persons in the employ of the police board of said city of Detroit who, after twenty-five years faithful continuous service, shall have become permanently incapacitated from performing regular active duty.

Also,

Senate bill No. 368 (manuscript), being

An act to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, and to issue bonds therefor.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 4, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That a committee of three from the Senate be appointed to confer with a like committee from the House relative to the proper distribution of the Legislative Manual,

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

And also to inform the Senate that Messrs. Newkirk, Harwood and McKinstry have been appointed as such committee on the part of the House.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The President announced as such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Earle, Mears and Hough.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 3, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 153 (file No. 277), entitled

A bill providing for the protection of Antwerp or homing pigeons,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take effect June 1, 1893, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on State affairs.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 4, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, In the death of Hon. Alexander Chapoton the State of Michigan has lost one of its distinguished citizens, and in particular is indebted to his constructive ability, knowledge, skill and honesty, for the substantial qualities, permanency and beauty of this capitol, he having been the commissioner having the supervision and charge of the masonry; and

WHEREAS, His great abilities in the same line of work were displayed in the construction of the Northern Insane Asylum, in all of which he gave the State the benefit of his services, as a public spirited citizen, disregarding all fee or reward; therefore

Resolved (the House concurring), That the flags of the capitol be displayed at half mast until after the funeral of Alexander Chapoton, in public recognition of his services to the State, his honorable character as a citizen, and his amiable and deserving qualities as an honest man, and that a copy of these resolutions, duly signed by the presiding officers, the Secretary and Clerk of the two Houses be sent by the Engrossing Clerk of the Senate to the family of Mr. Chapoton,

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The resolution was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 88 (file No. 219), entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of act No. 40 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act for the republication and sale of such of the reports of the Supreme Court of this State, as are or may become out of print, and have not been stereotyped; and to repeal act No. 217 of the session laws of 1875, being an act entitled 'An act to provide for the republication and sale of such of the reports of the Supreme Court of this State, as are or may become out of print,'" approved May 3, 1875, being section 7226 of 2d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan of 1882,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	
Clapp	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Sawyer	
Doran	Jewell	Weiss	
Earle	McGinley	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Morrow		20

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

By a vote of two-thirds of the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 774 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, supervision and government of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Pending third reading of which,

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Hopkins moved that there be a call of the Senate;

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary and the following senators reported absent without leave:

Messrs. Barnard, McLaughlin and Pierce.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The Sergeant-at-arms was dispatched after the absentees.

Mr. Clark moved to discharge the committee on Election from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 56 (file No. 135), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 3, 7, 14, 16, 17, 23, 26, 32, 36, 43 and 44 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and (deception) deceptions at elections in this State."

Pending which,

Mr. Weiss moved that the motion of Mr. Clark be laid on the table;

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then recurring on the motion of Mr. Clark to discharge the committee on Elections from the above named bill.

Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Clark	Mr. Hough	
Champion	Doran	Morrow	
Clapp	Gilbert	Mugford	9

NAYS.

Mr. Crane	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Sabin	
Earle	Gibson	Weiss	
Fox	McGinley	Wilkins	9

The Sergeant-at-arms announced Mr. McLaughlin at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

Mr. McLaughlin was admitted within the bar, rendered an excuse and took his seat.

GENERAL ORDER

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Earle to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, reported the committee had transacted no business.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

Mr Clark moved that the Senate adjourn,

Pending which, by unanimous consent,

Mr. Mears moved that the Senate take a recess until 2 o'clock, p. m.,

On which motion Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to take a recess until 2 o'clock, p. m. then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Mugford
Clark	Hough	Pascoe
Doran	Mears	Sawyer
Gibson	Morrow	Weiss
Gilbert		13

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. McLaughlin
Clapp	Garvelink	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Wilkins
Earle	McGinley	11

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Earle to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following. Senate bill No. 199 (file No 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Earle,
The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.
On motion of Mr. Weiss,
All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.
By unanimous consent,
The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:
The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:
Senate bill No. 374, entitled
A bill to authorize the city of Grand Rapids to issue its bonds for the improvement of the navigation of Grand river, and for the appointment of a board of commissioners therefor, and to prescribe their powers and duties.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.
By the committee on Finance and appropriations:
The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred
House bill No. 242 (file No. 132), entitled
A bill to provide for the erection of two cottages for patients, to purchase lands, to erect a barn, at the Northern Michigan Asylum, Traverse City, Michigan, and making appropriations therefor,
Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.
The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,
The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,
The President called Mr. Earle to the chair.
After some time spent therein the committee rose and,
The President *pro tem*, having taken the chair,
Through their chairman, made the following report:
The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled
A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.

Mr. Gibson moved that when the Senate adjourns, it stand adjourned until Monday at 9 o'clock p. m.,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from the remainder of today's session.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from the remainder of today's session.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from the remainder of today's session.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from the remainder of today's session.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from the remainder of today's session.

Mr. Morrow moved that the Senate adjourn, on which motion Mr. Gibson demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to adjourn then prevailed, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Wilkins	
Crane	Morrow		
Fox	Mugford		7

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Sabin	
Earle	Pascoe	Sawyer	6

Senators Clark, Mears and Pierce and the President *pro tem* being present and not voting, and

The President *pro tem* declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock p. m., on Monday.

Lansing, Monday, May 8, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Crane, Doran, Fleshiem, French, Garvelink, Hopkins, Mugford, Pascoe, Steel and Wilkins.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

Leave of absence was granted to all the absentees from today's session.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Earle to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

But not having completed the o nsideration thereof ask leave to sit again thereon.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.

Mr. McLaughlin moved that there be a call of the Senate,

On which motion Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pierce	Mr. Weiss	3

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Gilbert	Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Sabin	
Clapp	Jewell	Sawyer	
Clark	McGinley	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin		17

Mr. Sawyer moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Tuesday, May 9, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Crane, Doran, French, Mugford, Steel and Wilkins.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,
Leave of absence was granted to the absentees from today's session.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on State affairs:
The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 355 (file No. 229), entitled
A bill to regulate the possession, use, transportation and sale of fish and game,
Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.
The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.
By the committee on State affairs:
The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 226), entitled
A bill to amend act No. 28, laws of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for a game and fish warden and to prescribe his powers and duties,"
Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.
The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.
By the committee on Elections:
The committee on Elections, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 56 (file No. 135), entitled
A bill to amend sections 1, 3, 7, 14, 16, 17, 23, 26, 32, 36, 43 and 44 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and (deception) deceptions at elections in this State,"
Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.
On motion of Mr. Clark,
The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.
By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:
The committee on Engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor the following:
Senate bill No. 356, entitled
A bill to amend sections 62, 78, 106, 130, 149, 150, 158, 173, 175 and 177 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay

City," approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 8, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 274 (file No. 291), entitled

A bill to provide a general law under which corporations may be formed to carry on institutions for the treatment of disease and for instruction therein and in hygiene,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 8, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 431, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Boyne Falls in Charlevoix county.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By inserting in line 3 of section 2 after the words "William Veleete" the words "Melvin Saul."

2. By inserting in line 3 of section 4 after the words "William Veleete" the words "Melvin Saul."

In the passage of which as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 8, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 260 (file No. 294), entitled

A bill for the incorporation of the Ladies Aid Society, auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans of the United States of America, Division of Michigan, and of subordinate societies thereof,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 8, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 501 (file No. 296), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act number 154 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the commencement of actions of tort against non-residents, individuals, joint contractors, partnerships and corporations carrying on business or owning property in this State," being sections 8025*a* and 8025*b* of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, so as to provide for the commencement of such actions against non-residents including foreign corporations carrying on business or owning property in this State or whose property shall be found in this State,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 8, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR – I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 53, entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purposes of constructing, owning, controlling and leasing buildings for hotels, elevators or public halls," being act No. 70 of the public acts of 1887, approved April 15, 1887, and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 13,

Together with the Senate substitute therefor having the same title, in accordance with the request therefor, this day received.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Brundage moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the substitute to the above named bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill as substituted,

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The bill was referred to the committee on State affairs.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 85 (file No. 50), entitled

A bill to authorize the State board of agriculture to hold institutes and to establish courses of reading and lectures for the instruction of citizens of this State in the various branches of agriculture, and making an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendents made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the eneral order.

Mr. Mears moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 431, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Boyne Falls, in Charlevoix county,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gilbert	Pascoe
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce
Clapp	Hough	Sabin
Clark	Jewell	Sawyer
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss
Garvelink	Mears	23

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, Whereupon,

The President called Mr. Earle to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose, and through their chairman made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 132 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to provide for the erection of three cottages for patients, to purchase lands, to erect a barn at the Northern Michigan Asylum, Traverse City, Michigan, and making appropriations therefor.

House bill No. 427 (file No. 248), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State Public School for the years 1893 and 1894, for making improvements at that institution, and to provide a tax for the same,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

House bill No. 165 (file No. 253), entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Rhines vote recorder, or any other vote recorder of similar construction and principle, in all township, city and village elections held in this State,

But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon. J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the second named bills, and the committee was granted leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

AFTER RECESS.

2 o'clock p.m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 277 (file No. 106), entitled

A bill to amend sections 6 and 7 of act No. 200 of the session laws of 1885, being "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons," approved June 17, 1885,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Fisheries:

The committee on Fisheries, to whom was referred

House bill No. 50 (file No. 186), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 8 added to act No. 246 of the public acts of 1861, entitled "An act to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes for the passage of fish through dams across the streams of this State," approved March 16, 1861, as amended, the same being compiler's sections 2155 and 2156 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendmends thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 278 (file No. 107), entitled

A bill defining the position and to provide for the treatment of convicts licensed to be at large,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 456, entitled

A bill to incorporate the city of Harbor Springs and to repeal act 305 of the session laws of 1881, approved March 10, A. D. 1881,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of act number 349 of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Fremont, in the county of Newaygo," approved April 23, 1875,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gilbert	Mugford
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe
Clapp	Hough	Pierce
Clark	Jewell	Sabin
Crane	McGinley	Sawyer
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Fox	Mears	Weiss
Garvelink	Mellen	26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 198 (file No. 150), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Grosse Pointe Park in the county of Wayne, and for that purpose to detach certain territory from the village of Grosse Pointe,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Grosse Pointe Farms in the county of Wayne, and for that purpose to detach certain territory from the village of Grosse Pointe,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 701 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the election of two justices of the peace, and for the appointment of a justices' clerk in and for the city of Saginaw, and to define their jurisdiction and to fix their compensation and to abolish and discontinue the five offices of justice of the peace of said city upon the expiration of the terms of the present incumbents thereof, and to provide for the filing of the files, records and dockets belonging to or appertaining to the offices abolished and discontinued; and for the issuance of executions upon judgments appearing on said dockets; and to repeal all provisions of the charter of the city of Saginaw and of all other acts or parts of acts in anywise contravening the provisions of this act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford
Burt	Gilbert	Pascoe
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce
Clapp	Hough	Sabin
Clark	Jewell	Sawyer
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull
Earle	Mears	Weiss
Fox	Mellen	26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 433 (file No. 114), entitled

A bill to reincorporate the city of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 775, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Scottville, in Mason county, to borrow money to procure suitable fire protection, and to issue bonds therefor,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Mugford,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Sawyer	
Earle	Mears	Turnbull	
Fox	Mellen	Weiss	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mugford,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 156 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Industrial School for Boys for the years 1893 and 1894.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows;

(1.) By striking out of lines 1 and 2 of section 1 the words "fifty-three thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-six thousand" and by striking out of line 3, section 1, the words "fifty-three thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-six thousand."

(2.) By inserting in line 1 of section 2 after the word "dollars" the words "is hereby appropriated."

(3) By striking out of lines 1 and 2 of section 3 the words "the above mentioned sum."

(4) By striking out of line 2, section 3 the words "fifty-five thousand," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-eight thousand," and by striking out in lines 3 and 4 of section 3 the words "fifty-three thousand," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-six thousand."

In the passage of which, as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 118 (file No. 46), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Industrial Home for Girls, for the years 1893 and 1894.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 143), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 140, laws of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of Michigan," approved June 2, 1883, as amended by act No. 98, public acts of 1891, being compiler's section 2287 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 15 of said act.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 882, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Bad Axe, in the county of Huron to raise money by bonding the village to construct water-works,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. McGinley moved to amend the bill by striking out in line 1 section 3 the words "a majority" and insrting in lieu thereof the word "two-thirds,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford
Burt	Gilbert	Pascoe
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce
Clapp	Hough	Sabin
Clark	Jewell	Sawyer
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull
Earle	Mears	Weiss
Fox	Mellen	26

NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 137 (file No. 64), entitled

A bill to provide for the government, management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out of line 30, of section 3, the figure "6," and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "5."

2. By inserting in line 11 of section 12, after the word "request," the following proviso: *Provided*, That in any report of any officer of the State Public School, or of any agent of the board of corrections and charities, or of any State officer who is required by law to publish any report of any public institution, no names of such children, wards of the State Public School shall be published.

3. By striking out of line 9, of section 14, the word "and," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Champion	Hough	Pierce	
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin	
Clark	McGinley	Sawyer	
Crane	Mears	Turnbull	
Earle	Mellen	Weiss	24

NAYS. 0

Pending its referrence to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment,

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 198, entitled

A bill to authorize the board of trustees or common council of the village of Mecosta, Mecosta county, to levy and collect on the taxable property of said village, in addition to other taxes now authorized by law, a tax for public improvement of said village and to issue bonds therefor,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 435 (file No. 124), entitled

A bill to amend section 13 of act No. 133 of the session laws of 1879 as amended, being "An act to establish an institution under the name and style of the Michigan Reform School for Girls, being section 9839 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add two new sections to said act to be numbered 21 and 22, for the protection of inmates and subjects of said institution."

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 746 (file No. 322), entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Alpena to raise money for the purchase of or the erection and maintenance of water-works.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 431 (file No. 262), entitled

A bill to provide a punishment for the wilful injury or killing of live stock insured by any live stock insurance company, with intent to defraud such insurance company.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Insurance.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 421 (file No. 292), entitled

A bill to authorize the opening and extension of a public street across the lands of Woodmere cemetery, in the township of Springwells, Wayne county, Michigan, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts conflicting herewith, so far as applicable to the subject matter hereof.

Which has passed the House by a vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 317, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of East Jordan, in the county of Charlevoix to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor, and to provide for the levying of taxes therein to pay the same.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 427 (file No. 248), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State Public School for the years 1893 and 1894, for making improvements at that institution and to provide a tax for the same.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford	
Burt	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Champion	Hough	Pierce	
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin	
Clark	McLaughlin	Sawyer	
Crane	Mears	Turnbull	
Earle	Mellen	Weiss	
Fox			25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 132 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to provide for the erection of three cottages for patients, to purchase lands, to erect a barn, at the Northern Michigan Asylum, Traverse City, Michigan, and making appropriations therefor.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Sawyer	
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fox	Mears	Weiss	27

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

By a vote of two-thirds of the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McGinley moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 80 (file No. 136), entitled

A bill authorizing probate courts in this State to order or decree a letting for a term of years, or a sale of real estate by executors, administrators or guardians.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was re-referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 34 (file No. 234), entitled

A bill to amend section 4, of an act entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein, approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto, to stand as section 7 of said act, in place of section 7 which was repealed by act 67, approved May 10, 1879.'"

On motion of Mr. Barnard, the further consideretion of the above named bill was postponed until Thursday May 11, and made the special order for three o'clock p. m., of that day.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Sabin to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 164, entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 39 of Howell's annotated statutes, compiler's section number 1635.

Senate bill No. 271 (file No. 227), entitled

A bill to regulate the height of trolley wires and other mechanical devices which are now or may be placed over railroad tracks.

Senate bill No. 338 (file No. 230), entitled

A bill to provide for the examination of candidates for admission to the Agricultural College by county commissioners of schools.

House bill No. 624 (file No. 233), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 44 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to define the qualifications of deputy sheriffs and under sheriffs to be hereafter appointed in this State," approved March 24, 1887, being section 596 *a* of the 3d volume of Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 795 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 45 of chapter 150, being section 4247 of compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 16 of the session laws of 1877 and act No. 225 of the public acts of 1885, and also by act No. 3 of the public acts of 1887, relative to "alienation by deed and the proof and recording of conveyances and the canceling of mortgages," being section 5705 of third volume of Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 396 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Baptist convention of the State of Michigan," of the session laws of 1842, approved February 16, A. D. 1842.

House bill No. 397 (file No. 152), entitled

A bill to amend section 7 of No. 225 of the public acts of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of Baptist churches," being section 4702 of Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 382 (file No. 278), entitled

A bill to amend section 7 of chapter 154 of the revised statutes of 1846, relative to offenses against property, being section No. 9129 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

House bill No. 621 (file No. 290), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, being compiler's section 1559 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 163 of the session laws of 1875, approved April 29, 1875, and as amended by act number 208 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 2, 1881, the same being section 1591 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

House bill No. 40 (file No. 154), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the state grand lodge and subordinate lodges of the order of Hermann's Sons in the State of Michigan.

House bill No. 721 (file No. 242), entitled

A bill to amend section 28 of chapter 150 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 5682 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the keeping by registers of deeds of a proper general index to each set of books kept in his office.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the upper peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the further consideration of the bill be made the special order for tomorrow at 3 o'clock p. m.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 32 (file No. 5), entitled

A bill to regulate the interest, discount or consideration upon the loan or forbearance of money, money due on account, judgments, verdicts, decrees, goods, rights and choses in action, and to provide a remedy for any property usuriously taken, and for the punishment for the taking of usury.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that all after the enacting clause be stricken out.

MARDEN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the second named bill, and the consideration of the same was made the special order for tomorrow at 3 o'clock p. m.

The question being on concurring in the recommendation of the committee that all after the enacting clause of the third named bill be stricken out,

Mr. McGinley demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin	
Burt	Jewell	Sawyer	
Clapp	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Earle	Mears		14

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Hough	Mr. Mugford	
Clark	McGinley	Pascoe	
Gilbert	Mellen	Turnbull	
Hopkins	Morrow		11

And all after the enacting clause of the third named bill was stricken out.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The title and enacting clause of the above named bill were laid on the table.

Mr. Fox moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Wednesday, May 10, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Doran and French.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Leave of absence was granted to the absentees from today's session.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate substitute for House bill No. 53, entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of an act, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purposes of constructing, owning, controlling and leasing buildings for hotels, elevators or public halls," being act No. 70 of the public acts of 1887, approved April 15, 1887; and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 13.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendment thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Clark moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 2 of section 10 after the word "property," the words "and subject to taxation."

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Hopkins	Pierce	
Burt	Hough	Sabin	
Champion	Jewell	Sawyer	
Clapp	McGinley	Turnbull	
Clark	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Crane	Mellen	Wilkins	
Earle	Morrow		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 358, entitled

A bill to prohibit the hunting, capturing, worrying, wounding and killing of deer in the counties of Lapeer, Huron, Sanilac, Tuscola, and St. Clair for the period of ten years, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 174, entitled

A bill to provide for the location, establishment and organization of an asylum for the insane in the upper peninsula,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriation.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 501 (file No. 296), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 154 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the commencement of actions of tort against non-residents, individuals, joint contractors, partnerships and corporations carrying on business or owning property in this State," being sections 8025*a* and 8025*b* of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, so as to provide for the commencement of such actions against non-residents including foreign corporations carrying on business or owning property in this State or whose property shall be found in this State.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 421 (file No. 292), entitled

A bill to authorize the opening and extension of a public street across the lands of Woodmere cemetery, in the township of Springwells, Wayne county, Michigan, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, so far as applicable to the subject matter hereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Burt	Hough	Pierce	
Champion	Jewell	Sabin	
Clapp	McGinley	Sawyer	
Clark	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Crane	Mellen	Weiss	
Earle	Morrow	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 431, entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Boyne Falls in Charlevoix county.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 143), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 140, laws of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of Michigan," approved June 2, 1883, as amended by act No. 98, public acts of 1891, being compiler's section 2287 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section fifteen of said act.

Senate bill No. 435 (file No. 124), entitled

A bill to amend section 13, of act No. 133 of the session laws of 1879, as amended, being "An act to establish an institution under the name and style of the Michigan Reform School for Girls, being section 9839 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add two new sections to said act, to be numbered 21 and 22, for the protection of inmates and subjects of said institution."

Senate bill No. 317, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of East Jordan, in the county of Charlevoix, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor, and to provide for the levying of taxes therein to pay the same.

Senate bill No. 118 (file No. 46), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Industrial Home for Girls, for the years 1893 and 1894.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 374, entitled

An act to authorize the city of Grand Rapids to issue its bonds for the improvement of the navigation of Grand river and for the appointment of a board of commissioners therefor and to prescribe their powers and duties.

Also,

Senate bill No. 431, entitled

An act to incorporate the village of Boyne Falls in Charlevoix county.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 51 (file No. 293), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 232 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of all manufacturing companies, except such as are contemplated by act No. 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manufacture of salt, and mercantile companies, or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations," as amended by act No. 170 of the public acts of 1889, being chapter 124a of third Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, by adding thereto one new section to be known as section 38.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 285 (file No. 297), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 176 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act for the organization of township school districts in the Upper Peninsula," approved June 30, 1891.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Counties and townships.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 52 (file No. 196), entitled

A bill to provide separate grades for railroads and public highways and streets where railroads intersect such highways and streets,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

1. By adding to the end of section 2 the words "nor shall any agreement made by a township commissioner of highways be valid until the same is approved by the township board."

2. By striking out of line 34 of section 9 the word "four," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten."

3. By striking out of line 39 of section 11 the words "three commissioners be appointed," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "a jury be summoned and impaneled."

4. By striking out of lines 3 and 4 of section 13 the words "appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders of the city or county, as the case may be, commissioners," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "that a jury shall be employed in the cause."

5. By striking out of lines 9 and 10 of section 13, the words "and such court or the judge thereof shall fix the time and place for the first meeting of such commission."

6. By striking out all of section 14.

7. By striking out all of section 15 and renumbering the remaining sections in consecutive order.

8. By striking out of lines 1, 2 and 3, of section 16, all up to the word "such" in line 3.

9. By striking out of lines 1, 2 and 3, of section 17, the words "well and truly to ascertain and determine the compensation to be made to the parties as to whose claims a jury trial has been demanded and the benefits to be charged against said parties or any of them," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "that they will justly and impartially ascertain the necessity for the public benefit of separating the grades of said street or highway and of said railroad as proposed in said petition and if they deem that such necessity exists, that they will impartially ascertain and determine the compensation to be made therefor to the parties respondent and unknown parties in interest named in said petition and the benefits to be charged against said parties respondent."

10. By striking out of section 18 lines 1 to 20 inclusive, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "The jury shall, in their verdict, ascertain and determine the necessity for the public benefit of separating the grades of said street or highway, and of said railroad or railroads as proposed in said petition. And if they find that such necessity exists, they shall then ascertain and determine the amount of damages to such property as may be damaged thereby, the amount of benefit to any railroad company benefited thereby, and the expense of making such changes in railroad grades as may be prescribed by the proposed plan, and of doing and making that portion of the work and structure prescribed by said plan which by the subsequent provisions of this act is to be done and made by any railroad company, and shall award to the parties interested compensation for such damages or expenses as the case may be, deducting from the total amount awarded to any railroad company for damages and expenses the amount of the benefit to it by them determined. In case the amount of benefit to any railroad company exceeds the total of its damages and expenses, they shall award payment of the amount of such excess by such railroad company to the petitioner. If any property damaged shall be subject to a mortgage or lease or to any lien or estate or interest otherwise arising, they shall apportion the compensation awarded among the parties interested therein as they shall deem just. In case the owner of any interest in any property damaged is unknown, they shall determine the compensation for damages to such interest and the same shall be paid into court for the benefit of such person. In said verdict they shall state their determination on the question of necessity of the separation of grades; in case they find that such separation of grades is necessary, they shall also state separately the several amounts of damages, expenses and benefits by them determined, the several amounts of compensation by them awarded for damages and expenses, any apportionment of damages among different interests by them made, and the amount of any excess of benefit by them awarded to be paid by any railroad company. They shall in said verdict assess the total compensation by them awarded, less any total excess of benefits over damages and expenses to be paid by the railroad company or companies, when the crossing is within the limits of the petitioner, against the petitioner, and in all other cases against the city and county or counties, township or townships, as the case may be, that are parties to the proceedings in equal shares."

11. By striking out of lines 28 and 29 of section 18 the words "report of commissioners on the."

12. By inserting between the words "jury" and "and" in line 33 of section 18, the following words: "Containing a recital of the substance of

the proceedings and a description of each parcel of real estate for damages to which compensation is awarded, with a statement of the interest of any unknown party therein, and the name of each railroad company, street railroad company and other party in interest in the proceedings to whom compensation for damages or expenses is awarded, or who is charged with the payment of any sum for benefits, which order shall also direct by whom, to whom and at what time the payment of the sums awarded for compensation and charged as benefits, is to be made."

13. By striking out of lines 2 and 3 of section 19 the words "commissioners report or from the order confirming the."

14. By striking out of line 3 of section 21 the words" commissioners or."

15. By striking out of line 1 of section 22 the words "report of the commissioners or the."

16. By striking out of line 7 of section 22 the words "report or."

17. By striking out of line 10 of section 22 the words "commissioners or by the."

18. By striking out line 9 of section 26 the words "real estate" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "property."

19 By striking out of line 3 of section 27 the words "report or."

20. By striking out of line 6 of section 27 the words "report or."

21. By striking out of line 11 of section 27 the word "report."

22. By striking out of line 2 of section 29 the words "report or."

23. By striking out of line 1 of section 30 the words "report or."

24. By striking out of line 6 of section 30 the word "report" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "verdict."

25. By striking out of lines 2 and 3 of section 33 the words "filing of their report by the commissioners," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "rendition of the verdict."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

Mr. Clark moved that the bill be referred to the committee of the whole.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Clark then moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill.

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Hopkins	Pierce	
Burt	Hough	Sabin	
Champion	McGinley	Sawyer	
Clapp	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Crane	Mears	Weiss	
Earle	Mellen	Wilkins	21

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 273 (file No. 95), entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Detroit to acquire land outside of the limits of said city, for use as public parks, public grounds and boulevards, and to regulate and improve the same,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immedate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 117 (file No. 45), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of constructing, owning, controlling and acquiring by lease, buildings for exposition and exhibition purposes," approved February 13, 1889, being act No. 6 of the session laws of 1889.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 9, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 373 (file No. 266), entitled

A bill to encourage the propagation and culture of whitefish and the protection of whitefish fry in South Manistique lake in the county of Mackinaw, in this State, by granting certain privileges to owners and lessees of all the lands bordering upon such lake, and shall annually for a specified time deposit in such lake certain quantities of whitefish fry, and

to repeal all acts and parts of acts so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this act.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Fisheries.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Champion moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 248 (file No. 72), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used," being act No. 136 of the session laws of 1887, the same being compiler's sections 1691 and 1692 of volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Pierce moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 214 (file No. 170), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act 179 of the public acts of 1881, being section 6399 of Howell's statutes, relative to crier of the supreme court.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills,

Mr. Clapp moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 398, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 6, 37 and 39 of act No. 428 of the session laws of 1887, entitled "An act to revise and amend act No. 53 of the session laws of 1859, entitled 'An act incorporate the city of Battle Creek,' approved February 3, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith," approved April 9, 1887, as amended, and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 95.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The bill was referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

Mr. Clapp offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Senate committee on labor be allowed the use of the Senate chamber this evening, to hear arguments on the barbers' Sunday closing bill.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Weiss moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 105 (file No. 39), entitled

A bill to amend section 51 of chapter 7 of an act, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith, being act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883," approved June 7, 1883, as amended.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Clapp moved to amend the bill by striking out lines 11 and 12 of section 51, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "And it shall also have power to license and regulate all such callings, trades and employments, not heretofore enumerated, as the public good may require to be licensed and regulated, and as are not provided by law.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	Hough	Pascoe	
Champion	Jewell	Sabin	
Clapp	McGinley	Sawyer	
Clark	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Crane	Mears	Weiss	
Earle	Mellen	Wilkins	
Gibson			22

NAYS.

Mr. Morrow	1

Title agreed to.

Mr. Sabin moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 774 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, supervision and goverment of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Sabin moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Jewell	Sabin	
Clapp	McGinley	Sawyer	
Crane	McLaughlin	Steel	
Earle	Mears	Weiss	
Gibson	Pascoe	Wilkins	18

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Hough	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Mellen	Mugford	
Clark			7

On motion of Mr. Sabin,
The bill was laid on the table.
On motion of Mr. Sabin,
All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.
By unanimous consent,
The Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:
The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred
House bill No. 746 (file No. 322), entitled
A bill to authorize the city of Alpena to raise money for the purchase of or the erection and maintenance of water works.
Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommended that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.
The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.
By the committee on State Prison:

Lansing, Mich., May 10, 1893.

To the Honorable Senate of Michigan:

Your committee on State prison beg leave to submit the following report:
In order to perform thoroughly any duties that might be regularly or specially assigned to us, we have closely watched every action of both branches of the Legislature pertaining to the management and control of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.
The preamble of the resolution introduced in the Senate January 18 (Journal, page 97), and concurred in by the House January 19th (Jour. page 117), inferentially directed the various committees to "visit and investigate the several State institutions."
The House, February 3 (Journal page 182), adopted, and the Senate, February 6 (Journal page 189), concurred in a resolution, "That the joint committee of the two houses, on the State Prison, be instructed to make a careful investigation into the sanitary condition of the State Prison with the end in view of determining what measures, if any, are necessary to protect, justly, the lives of the inmates."
The resolution of Representative Barkworth, though adopted by the House, was, because of its similar intent, laid on the table by the Senate
The Senate, March 3 (Journal page 781), adopted the following:
"WHEREAS, Events of recent occurrence have given rise to criticisms upon the management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, indicating a condition of affairs detrimental to and suggesting a lack of understanding, if not a want of good government, discipline and system for and over said institution; therefore be it
Resolved (the House concurring), That a special committee of six persons, to be composed of three members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President thereof, and three members of the House, to be named by the Speaker of that body, be appointed, and directed and instructed to visit the said prison within the first ensuing ten days and investigate whether there is just cause for complaint against said management and

control, and whether any changes in the rules, regulations and system governing the said institution, or the manner of doing business therein, and therefor, or the inmates thereof, are needed and can be adopted that will secure greater safety to the public, more efficient conduct of the prison, safer confinement of the prisoners confined therein, and a stricter compliance with the prison laws of this State; and that said committee be and they are hereby empowered to send for and examine all persons, books and papers, and to detail or employ such clerical and stenographic assistance as they may deem necessary to secure the fullest possible information that will enable them to compile and present a thorough and perfect report."

Which the House amended (J. P. 808), by striking out the provision for clerical assistance, and then referred to its own committee on State Prison.

The Senate, upon its return, laid it upon the table, but took it therefrom February 11 (J. P. 824), and referred it to us. Hence it will be seen that the only special instruction given to us was "to make a careful investigation into the *sanitary* condition of the State Prison."

However, in the general scope of the duties of this committee, the spirit of the several resolutions, and particularly in view of recent tragical and sensational events connected with the prison, the seeming lack of good government and discipline there, the restless cry of the people for reform, their demand for the causes creating and leading up to the very sad condition of affairs reported to exist, and the absolute necessity for improvement in the management and control, have prompted and advised your committee to submit one general report.

We have endeavored to search for and uncover every possible circumstance and fact indicating anything wrong in or about what should be, and is considered the best and most important penal institution in the State. Our aim and effort has been to obtain all the information possible to obtain touching the official life of the place, and of every one connected with it. We deemed it, however, neither our duty nor province to become the historian of the prison, or the biographer of the people officially a part of it, and we have removed every possible intention and appearance of personal and political preference, or intention to protect either its past or present, or any person associated with its government or control, or to provide a latitude for future laxity. We realize that it will be said we are but giving our observations, expressing our views, and making our statements, and that we are neither critics nor experts in prison management, discipline and control. None but those who have given the subject special attention and study, or have had or have some business which has brought or which brings them into peculiar contact with it, can grasp, in ready detail, so problematical a question.

However, we cannot avoid expressing our belief that there has been too much confidence placed in those whose direct charge the prison was, and less inspection and investigation by the proper authorities.

We have met sad and sullen obstacles, and many a circumstance and much information was and remains covered because it was not in our power to loosen the individual tongue, recover written information, or make the dead speak, and if there be anything hidden or not clear, these black curtains are its screens.

FINANCIAL MATTERS.

The system of keeping the books and accounts of the prison has varied with the induction of each administration until comparisons and analysis

are intricate, laborious, unsatisfactory, and, in some instances, beyond obtaining.

Under the administration previous to that which has lately been succeeded, an inventory of the moneyed, material and personal properties is reported, but while correct in the main it is unsatisfactory in detail.

Under the succeeding regime no inventory is given, and only by a long and tedious examination of books, files, bills, vouchers, etc., could the real and personal holdings of the prison be found.

Time will not permit, nor does necessity require, a *minute* financial statement for any number of years back other than what is sufficient for a comparison, and we therefore avail ourselves only of the last two published reports.

From the report for the year ending June 30, 1890, the following summary is obtained:

RECEIPTS.

From contracts		$177,255 10
From departments		11,230 98
From sale of prison made goods		5,027 67
From sale of visitors' tickets		4,029 45
		$197,543 20
From appropriations		107,366 82
Total		$304,910 02

DISBURSEMENTS.

Departments		$105,266 14
General prison expense		94,005 40
		$199,271 54
Building and repairing		104,751 76
Total		$304,023 30
Receipts over disbursements		886 72
		$304,910 02
Number of departments receiving appropriation		19
Money belonging to convicts:		
Receipts	$26,667 31	
Disbursements	18,108 39	
Balance		$8,558 92
Amount paid for salaries		90,442 30
The convict population was		726

The report of 1892 includes a "Supplementary Statement" covering the period from June 30, 1882, to November 30, 1892. The summary is:

RECEIPTS.

From contracts	$171,079 70
From departments	14,401 03
From sale of prison made goods	23,515 00
From sale of visitors' tickets	4,300 30
	$213,295 93
Appropriations	38,030 03
Total to June 30, 1892	$251,325 96
Earnings, June 30, 1892 to November 30, 1892	46,413 93
Total	$207,739 89

DISBURSEMENTS.

Departments		$95,557 41
General prison expenses		82,492 21
		$178,049 62
Building and repairing		35,035 85
		$213,085 47
Returned to State Treasurer		15,000 00
		$228,085 47
Expenses June 30, 1892, to November 30, 1892		41,274 94
		$269,360 41
Receipts over disbursements		28,379 48
Balance		$297,739 89
Number of departments receiving appropriations		7
Money belonging to convicts:		
Receipts	$49,119 01	
Disbursements	36,662 02	
Balance		$12,456 99
Amount paid for salaries		79,319 71
The convict population was		789
It will be noticed that the receipts from "contracts" in 1890 were		177,255 10
And in 1892		171,079 70
An excess of		$6,175 40
Department receipts in 1892 were		$14,401 03
And in 1890		11,230 98
An excess in 1892 of		$3,170 05
Money received account of "appropriations" in 1890 was		$107,366 82
" " " " 1892 "		38,030 03
An excess in 1890 over 1892		$69,336 79
Money expended for "building and repairs" in 1890 was		$104,751 76
" " " " 1892 "		35,035 85
An excess in 1890 over 1892 of		$69,715 91
The sale of "prison-made goods" in 1892 amounted to		$23,515 00
" " " " 1890 "		5,027 67
An excess in 1892 over 1890 of		$18,487 33
The general prison expense in 1890 was		$94,005 40
" " " " 1892 "		82,492 21
An excess in 1890 over 1892 of		$11,513 18
Amount paid for salaries in 1890 was		$90,442 30
" " " 1892 "		79,319 71
An excess in 1890 over 1892 of		$11,122 59

Convict population in 1890 was	789
" " 1892 "	726
Excess	63
In 1892 there were	11 escapes
1890 " "	4 "
Excess	7 escapes
Months covered by report, 1890	24
" " " 1892	30

The increase in profits on "manufactured articles made and sold on prison account" (our heading, "sale of prison-made goods") is, we think, fully by the system outlined in the following extract from the report of the inspectors for the year closing September 30, 1884.

"Quite a large number of men," says the report, "who would otherwise be idle, have been employed at work upon the prison grounds, grading, etc. * * * * If the work of these men had been estimated at the average contract price paid for labor, and the prison credited with this as convict earnings, it would have added to the income of the prison. * * * * There is no reason why the prison should not be credited with the value of this labor as prison earnings."

Undoubtedly this was done, in fact it was done, the large surplus was thus secured and the institution enabled to turn over the amount covered back to the State Treasurer.

SANITARY CONDITION.

The fact that the prison was built many years ago becomes more apparent in the want of modern improvement. We believe that where there are so many men whose services are on call, no reason exists why the floors of such an institution should not be as proverbially clean as the kitchen of the brightest household, nor that the walls should not be as constantly white as the most tasty and expert calciminer would have them. We are pleased to say it is the intention of the present warden to make them so. The sewerage is considered serviceable, but would be more so if enlarged and extended farther in the river.

The vessels used in transferring from the cells to the sewers, the manurial discharges of the convicts ought to be of a material which would not retain or become impregnated with either the solid or fluid extract of such poisonous matter. Wooden vessels are now used, and being porous, absorb to a greater or less extent. Disinfectants of chloride of sodium, of zinc and corrosive sublimate are used daily. At the time of the first visit less than 10 per cent of the convict population were confined in the hospital.

EMPLOYMENT OF MEN.

Five hundred and fifty-seven men were employed on contract work, and two hundred and sixteen in the several departments. Some few who possessed the proper qualifications, and had earned credit for good behavior, were detailed for clerical service, none, however, receiving or being allowed extra compensation for such service.

DISCIPLINE.

In the report of the warden dated June 30, 1892, we find the following:

"The discipline of the prison has been maintained in a firm but kind manner, and a marked improvement has been observed in the decrease of the reports made by the keepers."

"I have found it," says the warden, "advantageous to allow inmates, complying with certain conditions, to occupy the largest and most commodious cells, the conditions being strict obedience to the rules, etc. The allowance, by contractors, of pay for extra work to a large majority of the inmates, seems to be conducive of good discipline, as it enables them to purchase the little luxuries, not furnished by the State, which nature and appetite crave."

Unfortunately late occurrences, and our investigations, have not supported this policy. On the contrary we found a reign of sullen inharmonious service, a smoldering insubordination rising with the slightest waft of a discontented wind, and a constant scheming of mischievous and murderous minds. Between warden and deputy warden there was not that official confidence or that extension of authority from chief to lieutenant absolutely commanding respect from and over subordinate and convict. In some instances convicts were masters of guards, guards of keepers, and keepers of superiors. Too often defiant feet climbed to a higher rung of the official ladder and received a listening ear to a complaining tongue. Polished urbanity, pleasing platitudes and fulsome flattery too often caught official indulgence, while the unfortunate tongue and touch, mind and muscle of mortified mortals passed skulking by.

Some of the rules were violated or neglected. Rule 12 requires the warden "to pass through the prison before retiring at night," but we found this often disregarded. Rule 18 requires that "all improper instruments and articles" be removed from the cells. How sad it is to realize that this was not done in at least one particular instance. Rule 63 requires that keepers "shall not permit convicts to hold any conversations with each other, or with any person whatever, except those allowed by law." Rule 66 directs: "They shall not be allowed to trade or traffic with the convicts, or give to any convict books, papers, tobacco, or any article, without the special permission of the warden." Rule 95 prohibits unnecessary communication between the convicts. Rule 106 prescribes 9 o'clock p. m. as the latest hour of retiring for prisoners. Rule 109 allows prisoners only such food, tobacco and clothing as are issued in the prison. Rule 120 directs that "no keeper, guard, contractor or other person shall be allowed to traffic or trade with the convicts." Rule 122 prescribes that "all officers shall, while on duty, hold no conversation with each other, or with convicts, contractors, their agents or foremen, except such as may refer to the discharge of their immediate duties."

Your committee realize the importance of and a strict compliance with these rules, and they realize, too the gravity of their assertion when they say that they found each and every one, quoted above, often, and in some instances, flagrantly disregarded and violated, and our only hope is that the past will ensure their respect and compliance in the future. The management and discipline of the convicts has been the saddest, most reckless and careless for years and a humiliating want of executive ability has been too apparent to be excused.

CONVICT LATIMER.

Relative to this convict and his acts, the public are well informed. It is not fair to say that in the past as in the future they have not had and will not have a parallel. Human nature is always liable to moments of extraordinary strength and extraordinary weakness, and however cunning the mind may be, sometimes a flash makes it a victim of sudden imbecility, and confusion usurps the throne of deliberation. Yet when all safeguards are thrown down, it is not to be wondered at that cunning becomes the master. Had the rules we have quoted been regarded and enforced to the letter; had Latimer been locked and kept in his cell from and after 9 o'clock p. m.; had he not been permitted to leave it, hold a conference with the officer in whose care and keep he and all others were, had he not been accorded unusual privileges, eaten and drank in luncheon with officials, smiled and chatted with them, traded and trafficked with his fellow convicts and stood a prince among them; had not other convicts bought and sold, in short, and to repeat, had the rules been enforced human life would have been saved and the State met no disgrace.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Believing that the State would derive an extra income from safe and paying investment, and that certain employés of the prison could be provided with comfortable dwellings at a moderate rental, we recommend that the brick building located on the west side of Cooper street, and belonging to the State, be remodelled into residences and rented to guards, keepers and other employés of the prison.

We recommend that the wardens of the different penal institutions of the State be directed to prepare, adopt and use some system of bookkeeping, or of keeping the accounts, which will be more simple yet practicable for all or either institution.

We recommend a revision of the rules, and a system of daily reports, concise and brief, from the guards and keepers to the warden, and monthly reports from the warden to the Governor, showing the discipline, financial and managerial condition.

APPROPRIATIONS.

We recommend the following appropriations:

Tool building	$934 00
Boiler house, engine and packing rooms, including office and old shop	1,578 00
Fire wall, shop and brick smoke stack	673 00
Dynamo and electrical fixtures, etc.	2,000 00
General repairs—cells	1,000 00
Repairs on buildings Remodeling Cooper street house Repairing old warehouse Sewer and sewage	10,000 00
Total	$16,185 00

Respectfully submitted.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 164, entitled

A bill to amend section three of chapter thirty-five of the revised statutes of 1846, being compiler's section number 1635 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to the township board of health its powers and duties,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Jewell	Sabin	
Burt	McGinley	Sawyer	
Champion	McLaughlin	Steel	
Clapp	Mears	Turnbull	
Gibson	Morrow	Weiss	
Hopkins	Pascoe	Wilkins	21
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 271 (file No. 227), entitled

A bill to regulate the height of trolly wires and other mechanical device which are now or may be placed over railroad tracks.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Jewell	Pierce	
Burt	McGinley	Sabin	
Champion	McLaughlin	Sawyer	
Clapp	Mears	Steel	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Crane	Morrow	Weiss	
Earle	Mugford	Wilkins	
Hopkins			25
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 624 (file No. 233), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act number 44 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to define the qualifications of deputy sheriffs and under sheriffs to be hereafter appointed in this State," approved March 24, 1887, being section 596*a* of the third volume of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	McGinley	Sabin	
Burt	McLaughlin	Steel	
Champion	Mears	Turnbull	
Clapp	Mellen	Weiss	
Clark	Mugford	Wilkins	
Crane			19
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 795 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 45 of chapter 150, being section 4247 of compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 16 of the session laws of 1877 and act No. 225 of the public acts of 1885, and also by act No. 3 of the public acts of 1887, relative to "alienation by deed and the proof and recording of conveyances and the canceling of mortgages," being section 5705 of third volume of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Hough	Sabin	
Burt	McGinley	Sawyer	
Champion	McLaughlin	Steel	
Clapp	Mears	Turnbull	
Clark	Mellen	Weiss	
Crane	Mugford	Wilkins	22
Earle			

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. McGinley moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

"A bill to amend section 45 of chapter 150 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended, the same being section 5705 of third Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the cancellation of real estate mortgages,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

House bill No. 396 (file No. 165), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Baptist convention of the State of Michigan. being act No. 42 of the session laws of 1842, approved February 16, A. D., 1842,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Hough	Sabin	
Burt	Jewell	Sawyer	
Champion	McGinley	Steel	
Clapp	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Clark	Mears	Weiss	
Crane	Morrow	Wilkins	
Earle	Mugford		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 397 (file No. 152), entitled

A bill to amend section 7 of act number 225 of the public acts of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of Baptist churches," being section 4702 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Jewell	Pierce	
Burt	McGinley	Sabin	
Champion	McLaughlin	Sawyer	
Clapp	Mears	Steel	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Crane	Morrow	Weiss	
Hopkins	Mugford	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 382 (file No. 278), entitled

A bill to amend section 7, of chapter 154 of the revised statutes of 1846, relative to offenses against property, being section No. 9129 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hough	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Jewell	Pascoe	
Burt	McGinley	Pierce	
Champion	McLaughlin	Sabin	
Clapp	Mears	Sawyer	
Clark	Mellen	Weiss	
Crane	Morrow	Wilkins	
Hopkins			22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 621 (file No. 290), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts, and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, being compiler's section 1559 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 163 of the session laws of 1875, approved April 29, 1875, and as amended by act No. 208 of the public acts of 1881, approved June 2, 1881, the same being section 1591, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Hough	Sabin	
Burt	Jewell	Sawyer	
Champion	McGinley	Steel	
Clapp	Mears	Turnbull	
Clark	Morrow	Weiss	
Crane	Mugford	Wilkins	
Earle	Pascoe		23

NAYS.

Mr. Mellen 1

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 40 (file No. 154), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the State grand lodge and subordinate lodges of the Order of Hermann's Sons in the State of Michigan.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Hough	Pierce	
Burt	Jewell	Sabin	
Champion	McGinley	Sawyer	
Clapp	Mears	Turnbull	
Crane	Mellen	Weiss	
Earle	Morrow	Wilkins	21
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of the following bill:

House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning out and deepening Black river, in Sanilac county for sanitary purposes, and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of said State Board of Health.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The committee on Judiciary was requested to report back to the Senate the above named bill.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 106 (file No. 40), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws for the incorporation of all manufacturing companies, except such as are contemplated by act No. 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manu-

facture of salt, and mercantile companies, or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations," approved June 20, 1885.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansng, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 341 (file No. 302), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 67 of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act No. 35 of the public acts of 1881, and act No. 169 of the public acts of 1883, and also by act No. 168 of the public acts of 1889, being section 5772 a, of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to the title of real property by descent,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansng, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 381 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to provide a penalty for malicious injury to or use of telegraph and telephone instruments, and the unauthorized reading or copying messages therefrom,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

The President also announced the following;

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 780 (file No. 301), entitled

A bill to amend section 24 of act No. 120 of the session laws of 1855, being section 24 of chapter 247 of the general statutes of the State of Michigan, as compiled and annotated by Andrew Howell, being section 6614 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the general powers, duties and jurisdiction of the circuit courts in chancery,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 97 (file No. 59), entitled

A bill to amend section 27 of act No. 179 of the public acts of 1891, being an act entitled "An act to establish, protect and enforce by lien the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for the building, altering, improving, repairing, erecting or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures, and to repeal all acts contravening the provisions of this act," approved July 1, 1891,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Labor interests.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 456, entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 349 of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Fremont in the county of Newaygo," approved April 23, 1875.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 227. By Mr. Burt: Petition of Mrs. Belle Kempster and 72 other persons of Saginaw, Mich., praying for the passage of the so-called "Newkirk bill."

On motion of Mr. Burt,

The petition was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

To the Honorable, the Legislature of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned (residents of Saginaw county and of this State), but not electors, do most earnestly petition your honorable body for the passage of the so-called Newkirk bill, with the educational test clause inserted.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

No. 228. By Mr. Burt: Remonstance of C. M. Norris, Wm. Barie & Son, and 24 other business men of Saginaw, against the passage of House file No. 232, relative to filing notes or contracts.

On motion of Mr. Burt, the remonstrance was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

"We, the undersigned residents of Saginaw, do hereby respectfully remonstrate against the passage of House file No. 232, as an unnecessary interference with a perfectly legitimate and proper plan of transacting business. We do not think there is any demand for its passage, or that there is any evil which it will correct."

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 146, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the State board of fish commissioners, for the years ending June 30, 1894 and 1895,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments, thereto recommending that the amendments be concurred in and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

W. F. SAWYER, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the committee to the bill,

Mr. Gibson demanded the yeas and nays, thereon.

The Senate then concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Hopkins	Sabin	
Burt	Jewell	Sawyer	
Clapp	Mears	Steel	
Crane			13

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Mugford	
Gibson	Mellen	Turnbull	
Hough	Morrow	Wilkins	9

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State board of health for the purpose of cleaning and deepening Black river, in Sanilac county, for sanitary purposes and providing and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of said State board of health,

Respectfully report the same back to the Senate pursuant to request of the Senate therefor.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 198, entitled

A bill to authorize the board of trustees or common council of the village of Mecosta, Mecosta county, to levy and collect on the taxable property of said village, in addition to other taxes now authorized by law, a tax for public improvement of said village, and to issue bonds therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pierce
Burt	Hough	Sabin
Champion	Jewell	Sawyer
Clapp	McLaughlin	Steel

Mr. Clark	Mr. Mears	Mr. Turnbull	
Crane	Mellen	Weiss	
Earle	Mugford	Wilkins	23
Gibson	Pascoe		

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Elections:

A majority of the committee on Elections, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 202, entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Rhines vote recorder in elections held in this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Myers automatic ballot machine or any other ballot machine of similar construction and principle, in all township, village or city elections held in this State,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole without printing and placed on the general order.

Mr. Barnard moved to take from the table

House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning out and deepening Black river, in Sanilac county, for sanitary purposes, and providing for and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of the State Board of Health.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The bill was ordered to be returned to the House in compliance with the request of the House therefor this day received.

Mr. Steel moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 101 (file No. 36), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1885, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of 1881, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 2 of said act,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The rules were suspenden, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Hough	Pierce
Burt	McGinley	Sabin
Clapp	McLaughlin	Sawyer
Clark	Mears	Steel
Crane	Mellen	Turnbull
Earle	Morrow	Weiss
Fox	Mugford	Wilkins
Garvelink		25

NAYS.

Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Jewell	2

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. McLaughlin moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 234 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments of this State, to provide for the inspection and regulation of such manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the enforcement of such regulation and inspection,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon,

The President called Mr. Earle to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The Senate concurred in the amendments made by the committee and

The above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Hopkins moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien

on the lands taxed, and providing for, establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

Be placed on its immediate passage.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Hopkins moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senator reported absent without leave: Mr. Hough.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

Mr. Hough was excused from the operation of the call.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Weiss to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

I.

Senate bill No. 130 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 31 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to prohibit the maintenance of saloons and other places of entertainment in which intoxicating liquors are sold, and to prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors within one mile of the Soldiers' Home," approved March 17, 1887, being section 1984 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the Upper Peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal act 213, laws of 1875; also act 176, laws of 1877, being chapters 340 and 341 of Howell's annotated statutes, and all laws amendatory thereof; also act 258, laws of 1887; also act 140, laws of 1891, approved June 17, 1891, and all acts inconsistent therewith.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole, on the special order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Weiss to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the Upper Peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal act 213, laws of 1875; also act 176, laws of 1877, being chapters 340 and 341 of Howell's annotated statutes, and all laws amendatory thereof; also act 258, laws of 1887; also act 140, laws of 1891, approved June 17, 1891, and all acts inconsistent therewith.

But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hopkins moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 235, entitled

A bill relative to exemptions in certain cases

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The bill was referred to the committee on Liquor traffic.

Mr. Pierce moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Thursday, May 11, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 433 (file No. 114), entitled

A bill to reincorporate the city of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

Pending third reading of which,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the special committee on Congressional apportionment:

The special committee on Congressional apportionment, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 136, entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into 12 congressional districts.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to request of the Senate that the bill be printed for the use of the committee.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The request was granted, and the bill ordered printed for the use of the committee.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following:

Senate bill No. 177 (file No. 143), entitled

An act to amend section 1 of act No. 140, laws of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of Michigan," approved June 2, 1883, as amended by act No. 98, public acts of 1891, being compiler's section 2287 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 15 of said act.

Senate bill No. 435 (file No. 124), entitled

An act to amend section 13 of act No. 133 of the session laws of 1879, as amended, being "An act to establish an institution under the name and style of the Michigan Reform School for Girls, being section 9839 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add two new sections to said act to be numbered 21 and 22, for the protection of inmates and subjects of said institution."

Senate bill No. 317, entitled

An act to authorize the village of East Jordan, in the county of Charlevoix, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor, and to provide for the levying of taxes therein to pay the same.

Senate bill No. 118 (file No. 46), entitled

An act making appropriations for the Industrial Home for Girls for the years 1893 and 1894.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the Honorable, the Legislature of Michigan:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to transmit herewith the report of the Board of World's Fair Managers of Michigan for the quarter ending March 31, 1893.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The report from the Board of World's Fair Managers was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

May 3, 1893.

To Hon. John T. Rich, Governor of the State of Michigan:

SIR—I have the honor to submit the report of "The Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan" for the quarter ending March 31, 1893 (hereto attached). The said report consists of a copy of the record of proceedings of said board per said quarter as appears by the records thereof.

Very respectfully,
MARK W. STEVENS,
Secretary.

Regular meeting of the Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan, held at the Hyde Park hotel, city of Chicago, Ill., on Tuesday, January 3, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Present: President Weston, Mr. Belden, Mr. Flynn, Mr. White, Mrs. Pond, Mrs. Valentine, Secretary Stevens aud Supt. Woodman.

Mrs. Pond presented various matters pertaining to the art department with a letter from Mr. Ives concerning the art exhibit. After a somewhat lengthy discussion pertaining to the installation of pictures and paintings the following resolution was offered by Mrs. Pond:

Resolved, That permission be granted the artists of Michigan to place in the Michigan building such works of art as are accepted by the State jury of selection and forwarded to Chicago.

Adopted.

On motion meeting adjourned until tomorrow at ten o'clock.

Wednesday morning, January 4, ten o'clock.

President Weston presented a letter from F. B. Dickinson concernig concession of news and cigar stand, the same was referred to Mr. Weston and Mr. Flynn with power to make contract.

Mr. White and Mr. Parker, superintendent of mineral exhibit, presented a sketch of the plan of installation. After discussing the question on motion of Mr. White, Mr. Parker was authorized to remain in Chicago a sufficient time to reproduce and present plans of mineral exhibit to the department of mines and mining for approval.

On motion of Mr. Flynn the sale of popcorn, peanuts, soda-water and all eating and drinking material except mineral water and water be prohibited in the Michigan building during the fair.

After discussing the question of the style of floor to be used in the corridor and vestibule of State building, Mr. Flynn moved that said floor be constructed of tile as per plans to be hereafter furnished by Architect Smith and adopted by the executive committee.

The question of newspaper exhibit was discussed by the members of the board, after which, on motion of Mrs. Pond $500 was set apart out of the State exhibit funds to defray the expenses of a newspaper exhibit.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the secretary was authorized to place a telephone in the secretary's office when he shall deem the same necessary, at the cheapest terms possible.

After due consideration of the question of the employment of housekeeper for the Michigan building, and after considering the application of Miss F. Beebe of Detroit for said position, Mr. White moved that Mr. Weston be authorized to employ Miss Beebe as housekeeper at a salary not to exceed $60 per month; the board to furnish room and lodging for her but not to furnish subsistence, for such term of service as may be required.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, Mr. White and Mr. Weston were authorized to employ a janitor in said building on reasonable terms and for the term of service necessary, and report their action at the next meeting of the board.

After considerable discussion on the question of furnishing the Michigan building the matter was referred to the executive committee with power to act and contract for said furnishing.

After considering the question of obtaining register books upon which Michigan people will be required to register their names, residences and Chicago residence during the fair, and the date of their intended departure from Chicago, President Weston offered to furnish the same without cost to the State.

On motion of Mr. White the offer of Mr. Weston was accepted with thanks.

The secretary presented to the board the application of P. M. Keller of Paw Paw, Mich., for the position of postmaster in the State building, together with endorsements and recommendations in favor of Mr. Keller; and also presented applications of other parties and their endorsements for the same position. After discussion of the same the secretary was authorized to inform the applicants that the board did not deem the duties of the office sufficient to warrant the employment of a postmaster, that there will be no position given to any one that will be known as postmaster, but that the duties will be performed by a boy or by cheap help, who also will do other service in connection therewith.

After discussing the question of how small and incidental bills that must necessarily be paid almost daily in and about the construction and finishing of the State building, and it being impossible to obtain separate vouchers for the same according to the provisions of the act creating the board and making the appropriation for the World's Fair, Mr. Weston offered to loan temporarily $500 from the Forestry fund, the same to be repaid by the board after the expenditure is made on proper vouchers. On motion of Mr. Flynn the offer of Mr. Weston to loan temporarily $500 to the board was accepted.

After consideration of the question, and in view of the fact that intending exhibitors were visiting Chicago frequently concerning the obtaining and preparation of space and the installation of exhibits, and in view of the fact that the secretary is paid a salary and that members of the board only receive per diem payment for services actually performed, that it would be advisable for the secretary to remain in Chicago as much as possible, and on motion of Mr. Flynn the secretary was authorized to remove his headquarters from Flint to the secretary's office in the Michigan building at the earliest date possible and as soon as the office could be finished, and the secretary was directed to look after and to expedite the completion of the building and attend to the interests of Michigan people at the Fair generally, and to supervise the installation of exhibits.

Mrs. Pond offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board unanimously request the committee of jury of awards to appoint Dr. Mary A. Green of Charlotte, Mich., a member of the jury on awards for the food products. Adopted.

Mrs. Valentine offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board unanimously request the committee on jury of awards to appoint Mrs. Stebbins of Adrian, Mich., a member of the jury on awards for embroideries. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the application of Mr. James A. Green of Detroit, Mich., for superintendent of agricultural implements at the World's Fair was endorsed by the board.

Mr. Woodman made a general report on the work in the agricultural department. He recommended that the payment of expenses of the pomological and horticultural exhibit be postponed for the present.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the proposition of David Woodman to sell his exhibit of grains and grasses for $300, was accepted and Mr. Belden was authorized to purchase the same and make arrangements for boxing and shipping when required.

On motion of Mrs. Valentine, the matter of fitting up spaces and installation of exhibits in all departments and the procuring of necessary cases, fixtures and decorations for installation of exhibits, be referred to the executive committee with power to act and contract.

On motion of Mrs. Pond, Mr. Woodman was authorized to proceed in procuring a coat of arms to be used in the decoration of the agricultural department as outlined by him, at the least possible expense.

On motion of Mrs. Valentine, the meeting adjourned to meet at the Michigan building on the first Tuesday in April, 1893, or sooner if called by the president of the board.

Meeting of the executive committee of the board of World's Fair managers for the State of Michigan held at Hyde Park hotel, Chicago, Jan. 5, 1893.

Present—Chairman Weston, Mr. Belden Mr. Flynn and the secretary.

The following accounts were presented, examined, audited and ordered paid:

	Voucher No.	Amount.
E. H. Belden, per diem, subsistence and disbursements	115	$167 56
D. R. Armstrong & Co., paint for State building	116	456 30
Peter White, per diem, subsistence and disbursements	117	359 71
Jay A. Hubbell, disbursements on acc't of mineral exhibit	118	137 59
C. J. Pauli, disbursements on account of State map	119	367 00
A. Vander Hulle, lathing and plastering State building	120	1,300 00

	Voucher No.	Amount.
S. B. McCracken, on account of State exhibits	121	$51 05
Milie Cliff, salary as stenographer	122	18 00
J. J. Woodman, salary and disbursements agr'l exhibit	123	93 80
J. A. Pond, per diem, subsistence and disbursements	124	142 86
I. M. Weston, per diem, subsistence and disbursements	125	160 88
J. S. Valentine, per diem, subsistence and disbursements	126	96 00
E. A. Russell, services supt. construction of building	127	26 29
John C. Abbott, services on State building	128	129 30
A. W. Jewett, balance on grain and grass exhibit	129	50 00
M. E. Cooley, disbursements on acc't of University exhibit	130	5 53
Eugene Glass, disbursements on acc't of kennel exhibit	131	8 91
Jas. W. Flynn, per diem, subsistence and disbursements	132	95 10
Mark W. Stevens, salary and disbursements	133	284 42
H. G. Reynolds, on acc't of Agricultural College exhibit	134	43 32

On motion meeting adjourned.

Meeting of the executive committee of the Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan, held at the Morton House, city of Grand Rapids, Michigan, on January 30, 1893.

Present: Chairman Weston, Mr. Flynn and the secretary.

Mr. Flynn was authorized to contract for tile for rotunda in Michigan building according to plans furnished by decorator at lowest possible price.

Mr. Weston was authorized to select and adopt plans and style of decoration for Michigan building and contract for the decoration at lowest price obtainable.

The secretary presented the various proposals for wiring building. The president and secretary were authorized to make contract for wiring building on the best possible terms.

The secretary was authorized to contract with Contractor Relton to furnish material and labor in constructing floor in tower room on third floor at price not to exceed $56.00.

The following preamble and resolution was offered by Mr. Flynn:

WHEREAS, The board heretofore gave the executive committee authority to arrange with the Agricultural College for an exhibit of grains and grasses and other agricultural exhibits; therefore

Resolved, That this committee authorize President Weston and Superintendent Woodman to confer with and complete and make all further arrangements with said college necessary to said exhibits.

Adopted.

Mr. Flynn offered the following preamble and resolution:

WHEREAS, C. F. Reed declines to enter into contract according to his proposal to paint the Michigan building outside two coats, and one coat on roof; therefore

Resolved, That the secretary is hereby authorized to obtain proposals for same and let contract to lowest bidder, but not to exceed $500.

The following accounts were presented, examined, audited and ordered paid:

	Voucher No.	Amount.
Mark W. Stevens, salary and disbursements	135	$255 89
Mark W. Stevens, disbursements State building	136	215 21
E. A. Russell, salary	137	70 73
J. W. Flynn, *per diem*, subsistence and disbursements	138	62 05
C. H. Pelton & Co., on contract State building	139	3,000 00
World's Columbian Exposition Co., water connection	140	25 15

	Voucher No.	Amount.
S. B. McCracken, salary and disbursments	141	$72 50
D. D. Thorp, printing	142	10 00
W. W. Huelston, straw board rods	143	8 50
Weatherby & Pulti, trimming 1,600 hangers	144	5 00
J. B. Steere, University	145	224 40
J. C. Skinkerman, press. ex.	146	18 75
J. H. Roberts, salary	147	100 00
Valley City Engraving & Printing Co., printing	148	39 00
The Tobey Furniture Co., office furniture	149	72 25
C. J. Pauli, State map	150	219 16
Milie Cliff, stenographer	151	36 00
I. M. Weston, *per diem*, subsistence and disbursements	152	44 68
Judson Grenell, woman's work	153	75 00

On motion meeting adjourned.

MARK STEVENS, *Secretary.*

Meeting of the executive committee of the Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan, held at the Michigan building, Jackson Park, Chicago, on February 17, 1893.

Present: Chairman Weston, Messrs. Flynn and Belden and secretary, and the secretary presented the contract between the New York Insulated Wire Co. and the Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan for the wiring of Michigan building. On motion of Mr. Flynn, the president and secretary were authorized to execute said contract on the part of the board.

The secretary presented the proposal of Libey & Libey to lay floor in space in Agricultural building according to plans of Mr. Woodman for the sum of $192. Said proposal was accepted and the secretary authorized to make contract.

Mr. Woodman being present reported that he had a proposal from the Grand Rapids School Furniture Co. to construct and furnish coat of arms for pavilion in agricultural building for the sum of $200. Mr. Woodman was instructed to make contract for same.

President Weston and Mr. Flynn to whom was referred the granting of concessions in Michigan building, reported that they had granted the con cessions to sell cigars, tobacco, newspapers and magazines to Geo. T. Warren of the city of Flint, Michigan upon such terms and conditions as may be made by the Ways and means committee of the Columbian Exposition Company.

Provided he, said Warren, will sell from same counter where said cigars, tobacco, newspapers and magazines are sold such books, maps, photographs and stationery as may be furnished by the board, free of costs and charges to the board and at such prices as may be fixed by said board. Mr. Warren being present and accepting the conditions so made, the report was accepted and adopted.

February 18.

Present: Governor Rich, Chairman Weston, Mr. Belden, Mr. Flynn, Superintendent Woodman and secretary.

Mr. Weston presented the written proposal of ——— of Grand Rapids to decorate the Michigan building as per plans of Mr. Weston for the sum of $1,200.

On motion of Mr. Flynn, the proposal was accepted and Mr. Weston authorized to make contract for same.

Mr. Woodman presented the various plans in his hands for the installation of agricultural exhibit. Chairman Weston and Superintendent Woodman were authorized to adopt plans and let contract to construct to lowest bidder.

Requisition made on Auditor General for $12,000.

The following accounts were presented, examined, audited and ordered paid:

	Voucher No.	Amount.
E. A. Russell, salary	154	$83 04
Mark W. Stevens, disbursements	155	83 07
Mark W. Stevens, disbursements State building	156	411 58
J. H. Roberts, salary	157	100 00
C. J. Pauli, State map	158	143 30
Milie Cliff, stenographer	159	27 00
John F. Rich, expenses	160	7 00
Henry Reynolds, agricultural exhibit	161	164 71
Henry Reynolds, agricultural exhibit	162	125 32
I. M. Weston, per diem subscriptions and disbursements	163	37 61
Lansing Journal, printing	164	40 85
E. H. Belden, per diem subscriptions and disbursements	165	110 06
Detroit City Glass Works, glass	166	16 04

February 20.

Present: Weston, Flynn and secretary.

	Voucher No.	Amount.
C. H. Pelton & Co., extra work and material on State building	167	$2,000 00

Meeting adjourned to Tuesday, March 7, 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m.

MARK W. STEVENS, *Secretary.*

Meeting of the executive committee of the Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan, called by President Weston, at city of Detroit, on February 28, 1893.

Present: Chairman Weston, Mr. Flynn and secretary.

The following accounts were presented, examined, allowed, audited and ordered paid:

	Von. No.	Amount.
Crane & Co., gas pipe railing	168	$105 00
Mark W. Stevens, disbursements and salary	169	191 48
Libbey & Libbey, floor in agricultural building	170	192 00

On motion meeting adjourned.

Meeting of executive committee of Board of World's Fair Managers for the State of Michigan, held at Michigan building, on March 8, 1893.

Present: President Weston, Mr. Flynn and Mr. Belden and secretary.

The secretary presented the proposals to finish the hardwood in oil finish on the inside of the building, which said proposals were as follows:

J. G. Dickinson	$369 00
Harry B. Cramer	345 00
Herman Shetney	342 80

On motion the proposal of Herman Shetney was accepted, and the society instructed to make contract for same.

The secretary presented the proposals to construct cement walks, and grade lawn around Michigan building, according to plan furnished by Exposition Company, as follows:

Zingman & Ross, grading and sodding..... $840.00
For construction of cement walks, 20 cents per square foot.
John N. Donohue, grading and sodding..... $515.00
For construction of cement walks, 12½ cents per square foot.

The question of letting contract to grade and sod lawn and construct walks was referred to Mr. Belden and secretary with power to make contract.

The secretary was authorized to let contract to make sewer connection at lowest possible price.

The following accounts were presented, examined, allowed, audited and ordered paid:

	Voucher No.	Amount.
J. J. Woodman, salary and disbursments	171	$199 16
Badenoch Brothers, lumber	172	108 74
Mark W. Stevens, disbursements State building	173	322 64
Mark W. Stevens, personal expenses	174	23 08
Herman Shetney, to apply on painting contract	175	80 00
Chicago Telephone Co., telephone service	176	48 34
Pearson Lumber Co., lumber	177	27 30
C. H. Rice, hardware	178	33 17
Chas. H. Pelton & Co., building contract	179	1,000 00
E. A. Russell, salary and disbursements	180	56 27
E. H. Belden, per diem, subsistence and disbursements	181	58 65
F. R. Bagley & Co., finals on flag staff	182	51 00
Wm. L. Hathaway, compiling statistics	183	54 00
Ferris S. Fitch	184	193 33
J, H. Roberts, salary	185	100 00
Judson Grenell, compiling statistics	186	190 00
I. M. Weston, per diem, subsistence and disbursements	187	108 25
Jas. W. Flynn, per diem, subsistence and disbursements	188	137 43

Meeting on Thursday, March 9, at Hyde Park hotel.

Secretary was authorized to make contract for honey, wool and butter cases.

On motion meeting adjourned.

(Signed) MARK W. STEVENS.

Meeting of executive committee of the Board of World's Fair Managers of the State of Michigan, held at the Michigan building on March 23, 1893.

Present: President Weston, Mr. Belden, Mr. Flynn and secretary.

The secretary reported that he was offered $35 for extra counter. On motion the secretary was authorized to sell counter for the sum of $35, if no higher price could be obtained.

The following accounts were presented, examined, audited, allowed and ordered paid:

	Voucher No.	Amount.
Herman Shetley, to apply on painting contract	189	$160 00
Mark W. Stevens, disbursements State building	190	330 20
Mark W. Stevens, disbursements	191	40 51
J. J. Zoller, hardware for Pelton	192	36 79
J. J. Zoller, " "	193	78 80
R. S. Prouger, salary night watchman	194	30 00
Wagner & Vollvrach, staff work	195	490 00
R. V. O'Donnell, on sewer contract	196	22 50
R. A. Parker, collecting mineral statistics	197	100 00
J. A. Hubbell, mineral exhibit	198	407 24

	Voucher No.	Amount.
Henry G. Reynolds, agricultural exhibit	199	$513 57
C. P. Van Inwegen, coal	200	11 25
D. D. Thorp, printing	201	92 10
Hines Lumber Company, lumber for Pelton	202	158 08
Knickerbocker Ice Co., lime and sand for Pelton	203	44 80
Sproul & McGurrin, plumbing contract for Pelton	204	250 00
Kelly Bros. Mf'g Co., lumber for Pelton	205	786 76
E. H. Belden, per diem, subsistence and disbursements	206	75 00

On motion meeting adjourned.

M. W. STEVENS, *Secretary.*

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 28 (file No. 33), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of supreme, grand and subordinate lodges of the "United Home Protectors' Fraternity," a coöperative fraternal building and loan society or order.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 302 (file No. 131), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 109 of the laws of Michigan for 1857, entitled "An act to provide for feeing an attorney when appointed by the court," approved February 14, 1857, being compiler's section 9046 of second Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 264 (file No. 103), entitled

A bill to provide for the sale, by the board of trustees of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane of land held by the State, for the use and benefit of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo, and to expend the proceeds of such sale for the purchase of other lands by the said board of trustees of said asylum.

In the passage of which the House has concurred, by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 6 (file No. 3), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the senate and local clubs of the Happy Home Clubs of America.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. Amend section 2 by striking out lines 10, 11, 12 and 13 and inserting instead thereof the following: First, the objects of said order which shall be for the treatment and cure of drunkenness or intoxication, and for the treatment and cure of diseases growing out of the excessive use of intoxicating liquors, stimulants and narcotics, and to establish and charter local clubs for the same purposes and objects, and to protect and assist those cured of such drunkenness, and to provide for fraternal and mutual life insurance of members of said order between the ages of 18 and 56 years, and fraternal benefits and assistance for such members and their families.

2. By striking out of line 14, of section 2, the words "at present," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five thousand dollars."

3. Amend section 4, by adding at the end of same the following:

The general president or some officers of said corporation shall between the first and fifteenth day of January of each year make out under oath and file the same with the Secretary of State, a report showing the total number of persons treated for drunkenness or intoxication during the previous year by the senate and local clubs of this order, and the number of the same who have released or gone back to drink, so far as known.

4. By inserting in line 25 of section 6, after the word "America," the following words:

But said Senate shall make no rules or regulations that shall prevent said local clubs from using such or any liquor cure or treatment as each of said local clubs may desire.

5. Amend section 6 by inserting at the end thereof the following:

The President or some officer of such corporation shall, between the first and fifteenth day of January of each year, make out under oath and file the same with the county clerk of the county in which such corporation is located, a report showing the total number of persons treated by such corporation for drunkenness or intoxication the previous year, and the number of the same who have released or gone back to drink so far as known.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	Gilbert	Pascoe
Burt	Hopkins	Pierce
Clapp	Hough	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer
Doran	McGinley	Steel
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Fox	Mears	Weiss
French	Mellen	Wilkins
Garvelink	Morrow	29

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 193 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 32 of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 1581 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to bills of exchange and promissory notes, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to

take effect Jan. 1, 1894, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 705, entitled

A bill to amend section 9, of title III, of act No. 307, of the local acts of 1885, being "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of West Bay City," and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, and to amend sections 10, 11 and 12, of title V, of act No. 271, of the local acts of 1891, being an act to amend act No. 307, of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of West Bay City," and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference,

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe	
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Jewell	Sawyer	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
Doran	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Earle	Mears	Weiss	
Fox	Mellen	Wilkins	27

NAYS.

Mr. Burt 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 192 (file No. 305), entitled

A bill to dedicate certain State lands within the city of Lansing to the public for street and highway purposes.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, on motion of Mr. Brundage, referred to the committee on cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate relative to the following bill:

House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning out and deepening Black river, in Sanilac county, for sanitary purposes, and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of the State Board of Health.

Which the House this day requested the Senate to return to the House.

That the House has reconsidered its request for the return of said bill and now does not ask for the same.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 771 (file No. 273), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 168 of the session laws of 1857, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of villages," being section 2983 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 354 (file No. 199), entitled

A bill to provide for an approval fee for approving articles of incorporation, renewal or amendment to the charters of mutual insurance companies.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Clark moved that the committee on State Prison be instructed to make a further investigation of the sewerage system at the State Prison and report the result of their investigation to the Senate.

Pending which,

Mr. Weiss moved to lay the motion of Mr. Clark on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Clapp moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and settings, for a water tower, for electric lighting, for new engines and setting and for a physician's cottage at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	McGinley	Sabin	
Clark	McLaughlin	Steel	
Doran	Mellen	Turnbull	
Gibson	Morrow	Weiss	
Gilbert	Mugford	Wilkins	
Hopkins	Pascoe		20

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Crane	Mr. Garvelink	
Brundage	Earle	Jewell	
Burt	Fox	Sawyer	9

The question then being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title of the bill.

The Senate concurred.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Gilbert moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 504, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 113 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous and intoxicating liquors, and malt brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," by adding thereto a new section to stand as section No. 35 of said act.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

The bill was referred to the committee on Liquor traffic.

Mr. Sabin moved to take from the table

House bill No. 796 (file No. 157), entitled

A bill to provide for the government of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane and the inmates therein, and to repeal act 190, laws of 1883, and all acts amendatory thereto, and all of that portion of act 140, laws of 1891, which conflicts with this act, being an act entitled "An act to provide for a State board of inspectors who shall perform the duties now performed by the advisory board in matters of pardons and who shall have the complete management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia, the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform School for Boys at Lansing and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to abolish all existing boards and to annul all existing appointments.

The bill having been read a third time and the question being upon its passage,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Mellen	Mr. Turnbull	2

Title agreed to.

Pending the vote on agreeing to the title of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Sabin moved to take from the table

House bill No. 438 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill to amend sections 4 and 8 of an act of the Legislature of 1893, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Hudson and to repeal all acts and parts of acts relative to the incorporation of the village of Hudson and the common council of the village of Hudson," approved February 16, 1893, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 14 of said act.

On which motion Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	12

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Mugford	
Champion	Hough	Pascoe	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Gilbert	Morrow		11

Mr. Morrow moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed,

On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

Mr. Sabin moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senator reported absent without leave: Mr. Doran.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentee.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Doran at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

Mr. Doran was admitted within the bar and took his seat.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from the further operation of the call.

The motion of Mr. Morrow to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the above named bill then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	Hough	Pascoe	
Champion	Mellen	Sawyer	
Clark	Morrow	Turnbull	
Gilbert			13

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Sabin	
Crane	Mears	Weiss	
Fox	Pierce	Wilkins	
Garvelink			10

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

By, unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Education and public schools:

The committee on Education and public schools, to whom was referred House bill No. 327 (file No. 128), entitled

A bill authorizing the trustees of certain colleges, within the State of Michigan, to give teachers' certificates.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize the State board of Education to grant teachers' certificates in certain cases.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

SAMUEL M. WILKINS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Wilkins,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Liquor traffic:

The committee on Liquor traffic, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 504, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 113 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving, or delivering spirituous and intoxicating liquors, and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," by adding thereto a new section to stand as section No. 35 of said act.

Respectully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend sections 7, 8 and 17, repealing section 33 and leaving section 34 to stand as section 33 of act No. 313 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous or intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act."

And have directed me to request of the Senate that the substitute be printed for the use of the committee.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The request was granted, and the bill ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 413 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 225 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and

prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton now comprising the fifth judicial circuit," the same being section 6522*d* 1 of the third volume of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 352, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 14, 21, 24, 25, 26 and 29 of an act entitled "An act relating to burying grounds," approved February 12, 1855, being sections 4732, 4741, 4748, 4751, 4752, 4753 and 4756 of Howell's annotated statutes and to add a new section to said act.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Champion moved to take from the table

House bill No. 433 (file No. 114), entitled

A bill to reincorporate the city of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford
Burt	Gilbert	Pascoe
Champion	Hopkins	Sabin

Mr. Clark	Mr. Hough	Mr. Sawyer	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French	Mellen		29
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 721 (file No. 242), entitled

A bill to amend section 28 of chapter 150 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 5682 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the keeping by registers of deeds of a proper general index to each set of books kept in his office.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows.

YEAS

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe	
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clapp	Hough	Sabin	
Clark	Jewell	Sawyer	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
Doran	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Earle	Mears	Weiss	
Fox	Mellen	Wilkins	30
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 248 (file No. 72), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used," being act No. 136 of the session laws of 1887; the same being compiler's sections 1691, 1692, volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	French	Pierce	
Burt	Garvelink	Sabin	
Champion	Gibson	Steel	
Clapp	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Clark	Hough	Weiss	
Doran	McGinley	Wilkins	
Earle	Morrow		23
	NAYS		
Mr. Mellen	Mr. Pascoe		2

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Weiss moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to provide blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used," being act No. 136 of the session laws of 1887; the same being compiler's sections 1690z^1, 1690z^2 of volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate bill No. 214 (file No. 170), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 179 of the public acts of 1881, being section 6399 of Howell's statutes, relative to crier of the supreme court.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	French	Sabin	
Burt	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Champion	Hough	Turnbull	
Clapp	McGinley	Weiss	
Doran	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Earle	Pascoe		20

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 338 (file No. 230), entitled

A bill to provide for the examination of candidates for admission to the Agricultural College by county commissioners of schools.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe	
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Clark	Jewell	Steel	
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Earle	Mears	Wilkins	
Fox			28

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 306, entitled

A bill to provide for taking the census and statistics of this State.

Respectfully report the accompanying proposed substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for taking a census of the population and industries of this State.

Recommending that the substitute be printed for the use of the committee.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The request was granted and the proposed substitute was ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 274 (file No. 291), entitled

A bill to provide a general law under which corporations may be formed to carry on institutions for the treatment of disease and for instruction therein and in hygiene.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Supplies and expenditures:

The committee on Supplies and expenditures, to whom was referred the following account:

Mrs. M. N. Brainard:

Engrossing the Alexander Chapoton resolution, $5.00.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the account be allowed and ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and adopted.

By the committee on Counties and townships:

The committee on Counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 285 (file No. 297), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act number 176 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act for the organization of township school districts in the upper peninsula," approved June 30, 1891.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the further consideration of
Senate bill No. 34 (file No. 234), entitled
A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein, approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto, to stand as section 7 of said act, in place of section 7 which was repealed by act 67, approved May 10, 1879.'"

The bill having been read a third time and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Barnard moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevriled.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox	Mears		17

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe	
Clark	McGinley	Sawyer	
Crane	Mellen	Turnbull	9

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein, approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to and two new sections thereto, to stand as sections 7 and 8 of said act.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

Leave of absence was granted to himself for the remainder of the week.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon,

The President called Mr. Fox to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 202, entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Myers' automatic ballot machine or any other ballot machine of similar construction and principle, in all township, village or city elections held in this State.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 159 (file No. 235), entitled

A bill to create the 34th judicial circuit and to provide for the holding courts therein.

Senate bill No. 198 (file No. 150), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Grosse Pointe Farms, in the county of Wayne, and for that purpose to detach certain territory from the village of Grosse Pointe.

House bill No. 121 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill providing for the conditional sale, lease, or hire of railroad and street railway equipment and rolling stock, and providing for the recording of the contract or agreement thereof.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

Substitute for Senate bills Nos. 151 and 170 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill to determine, extend and fix the liability of railroad corporations and companies for personal injuries to employes.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the committees on Judiciary and Railroads jointly.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 130 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act No. 31, of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to prohibit the maintenance of saloons and other places of entertainment in which intoxicating liquors are sold, and to prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors within one mile of the Soldiers' Home," approved March 17, 1887, being section 1984, of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that all after the enacting clause of the bill be stricken out.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

The question being on concurring in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill,

Mr. Clapp demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Pierce	
Burt	McLaughlin	Sabin	
Earle	Mears	Sawyer	
Fox	Mellen	Turnbull	
French	Pascoe	Weiss	
Jewell			16

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Crane	Mr. Gilbert	
Champion	Doran	Morrow	
Clapp	Garvelink	Steel	
Clark	Gibson	Wilkins	12

And the bill was referred to the committees on Judiciary and Railroads jointly.

Mr. Clapp moved that the committees be instructed to report the bill back to the Senate on Wednesday next.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the committees be instructed to report the bill back to the Senate on Thursday next.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the recommendation of the committee of the whole regarding the fourth above named bill.

The Senate did not concur, and

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The bill was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Doran moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 130 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 31 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to prohibit the maintenance of saloons and other places of entertainment in which intoxicating liquors are sold, and to prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors within one mile of the Soldiers' Home," approved March 17, 1887, being section 1984 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefore, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Doran moved to amend the bill by striking out all of section one after the word "the" in line five of said section except the words "lying west of Grand river" in line six.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gilbert	Pierce	
Burt	Jewell	Sabin	
Clark	McGinley	Sawyer	
Doran	McLaughlin	Steel	
Earle	Mellen	Turnbull	
Fox	Mugford	Weiss	
French	Pascoe	Wilkins	
Garvelink			22

NAYS

Mr. Morrow 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 198 (file No. 150), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Grosse Pointe Farms in the county of Wayne, and for that purpose to detach certain territory from the village of Grosse Pointe.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Pierce	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	McGinley	Sawyer	
Fox	McLaughlin	Steel	
French	Mears	Weiss	
Garvelink	Pascoe	Wilkins	
Gibson			19

NAYS

Mr. Hough	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Morrow	3

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 202, entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Myers' automatic ballot machine or any other ballot machine of similar construction and principle, in all township, village or city elections held in this State.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Gibson	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Earle	Mellen	Wilkins	
French			19

NAYS.

Mr. Mears	Mr. Pascoe	2

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 121 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill providing for the conditional sale, lease, or hire of railroad and street railway equipment and rolling stock, and providing for the recording of the contract or agreement thereof.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Doran	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Earle	Mellen	Weiss	
Fox	Morrow	Wilkins	27

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 37), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the soliciting or issuing of unauthorized fire or inland marine insurance policies in this State," approved May 12, 1881, the same being compiler's section No. 4354 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 870, entitled

A bill to amend section 18 of act No. 211 of the session laws of 1861, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Lowell," approved March 25, 1861.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 252, entitled

A bill to repeal section 213 of act No. 215 of the session laws of 1859 entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Owosso," approved February 15 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following joint resolution:

Senate joint resolution No. 15, entitled

A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate examine, settle and pay any claim found to be due the Presque Isle lumber company of Hammond bay, Presque Isle county, Michigan, against the State of Michigan for damages or compensation arising from the seizure by the trespass agents of the State of Michigan, of a certain lot of

cedar cut by it on portions of the northeast quarter of section 35, township 35 north of range 2 east, claimed by the said trespass agents to have been a trespass upon the State lands.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

By striking from the end of the resolution the words "but not to exceed seven hundred dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "*Provided*, That nothing shall be allowed beyond the amount of property or money actually received or appropriated by the State."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the joint resolution.

The Senate did not concur, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS. 0

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe	
Burt	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Jewell	Sawyer	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
Doran	Mears	Turnbull	
Earle	Mellen	Weiss	
Fox	Morrow	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Mugford		26

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 29 (file No. 9) entitled

Joint resolution, for submitting to the people an amendment to section 5 of article 7 of the constitution of this State relative to the residence of inmates maintained at public expense, at asylums and other public institutions, by adding a proviso relative to soldiers who reside at the Soldiers' Home.

Which has passed the House by a two-thirds vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The joint resolution was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on constitutional amendments.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to retransmit the following bill:

House bill No. 879, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Davison, in the county of Genesee, to borrow money for the purpose of making public improvements in said village.

Which the Senate amended as follows:

1. By striking out of line 5 of section 1 the figures "$15,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten thousand dollars."

2. By striking out of line 1 of section 3 the words "a majority" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two-thirds."

And to inform the Senate that in said amendments the House has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

The Senate insisted on its amendments, and asked for a committee of conference to whom may be referred the matters of difference between the two Houses regarding the above named bill.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 671 (file No. 148), entitled

A bill to amend section 124 of chapter 178 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 99 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to amend section 124 of act No. 1 of the public acts of 1874, entitled 'An act to amend section 124 of an act entitled 'An act to amend chapter 93 of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled 'Of courts held by justices of the peace,' approved February 13, 1885, being section 5372 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the transfer of cases in justice's courts," being compiler's section No. 6937 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 254 (file No. 333), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 182 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of a franchise fee by corporations," approved July 2, 1891.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on banks and corporations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 365 (file No. 306), entitled

A bill to amend section No. 44 of act No. 175 of the session laws of 1851, entitled "An act to provide for holding general and special elections," approved June 27, 1851, as amended by act No. 220 of the public acts of 1885, being section 180 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Elections.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 659 (file No. 309), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act No. 171 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders" as amended, the same being section 9894 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill.

House bill No. 261 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill for the incorporation of the Sons of Veterans of the United States of America, division of Michigan, and of subordinate camps thereof.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 536 (file No. 288), entitled

A bill to provide for the placing of juries, while engaged in the trial of cases of murder, under the charge of a competent officer duly sworn as prescribed in this act, and to define the duties of certain officers in relation thereto, and to provide a penalty for any wilful violation thereof.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 620 (file No. 190), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of act No. 174 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for beginning suits against foreign cooperative and mutual benefit insurance societies and associations, organized under the laws of other states or territories and doing business in this State."

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Insurance.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 440 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 6 and 9 of act No. 179 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to establish, protect and enforce by lien, the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for building, altering, improving, repairing, erecting or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves, and all other structures," and to repeal all acts contravening the provisions of this act.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Labor interests.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 708, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Ellsworth, in the county of Lake, State of Michigan, and to organize the township of Newkirk in said county.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take effect March 20, 1894, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Counties and townships.

Mr. Hopkins moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Lansing, Friday, May 12, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Gilbert, McLaughlin, Steel and Sawyer.

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Sawyer until Tuesday.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

Leave of absence was granted to all the absentees from today's session.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Monday.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 229. By Mr. Sabin: Memorial of the Coldwater district Ministerial association of the M. E. church protesting against the indiscriminate taxation of church property.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The memorial was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

MEMORIAL of the Coldwater district, Ministerial association of the Methodist Episcopal church in session at White Pigeon, April 24-26, 1893.

To the Senate of the State of Michigan:

The Association represents forty-three societies with an aggregate membership of 4909, worshiping in 43 churches, and a constituency of probably 15,000 embraced in the three counties of St. Joseph, Branch and Hillsdale. This Association by the hereinafter resolution would respectfully memorialize your honorable body as follows:

Resolved, That in the movement for the indiscriminate taxation of church property we see the hand of the enemies of our holy christianity. While we have no apology to offer for the accumulation of large properties in the name of the church to be held for profit or speculation purposes and the holding of such properties exempt from taxation. Yet the taxation of property held for purely public religious purposes or for the residence of ministers is a tax upon the benevolence of the people. Against such taxation we most earnestly protest.

N. L. BRAY, *President*,
WM. A. TAYLOR, *Secretary*.

Referred to the committee on taxation.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Military affairs:

The committee on Military affairs, to whom was referred

House joint resolution No. 24, entitled

A joint resolution directing the Board of State Auditors to settle and adjust the claim made by Joseph Schefnecker against the State of Michigan for services and money expended by him in recruiting volunteers for the war, and in organizing the 14th regiment of Michigan infantry.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that it be referred to committee on Finance and appropriations, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WILLIAM MEARS, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

Mr. Clapp, by unanimous consent, moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate take up the order of third reading of bills.

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

The President called Mr. Mears to the chair.

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Hopkins moved that the Senate take a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.,

Which motion prevailed.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 230. By Mr. Steel: Petition of Wm. Long, J. E. Henderson and 110 other residents of the townships of Washington and Fulton, in the county of Gratiot, asking the passage of a law, making the maintenance of the State road crossing Maple river and the approaches thereto lying wholly within the township of Washington and located there because of greater economy of construction, but which is for the mutual use of said townships, a joint charge upon the townships of Washington and Fulton.

Referred to committee on Public health.

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for, establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

Having been read a third time and

The question being on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The bill was laid on the table.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

Senate bill No. 411, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a commissioner on escheated estates and to define his duties and fix his compensation.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill for the ascertainment and protection of the interests of the State in escheated estates.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which was referred

Senate bill No. 80 (file No. 136), entitled

A bill authorizing probate courts in this State to order or decree a letting for a term of years, or a sale of real estate by executors, administrators or guardians.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to authorize and empower executors, administrators and guardians to sell real estate of deceased persons and of persons under guardianship at private sale, and to provide for the disposition and investment of the proceeds of such sale.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

Senate bill No. 380, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 88 of the session laws of 1869, etc.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of Act No. 88 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act requiring corporations doing business in this State, whose principal officers are out of the State, to keep a list of their stockholders and a transfer book within this State," being section 4900 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

Senate bill No. 379, entitled

A bill to amend sections 38, 39, 40, 41, and 42 of chapter 192 of compiled laws of 1871, etc.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend sections 38, 39 and 40 of chapter 192 of compiled laws of 1871 (chapter 266 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan), being sections 7697, 7698, and 7699 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 870, entitled

A bill to amend section 18, of act No. 211, of the session laws of 1861, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Lowell," approved March 25, 1861.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce
Clapp	Hough	Sabin
Clark	Jewell	Turnbull
Doran	McGinley	Wilkins
Earle	Mears	
Fox	Mellen	25

NAYS

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Counties and townships:

The committee on Counties and townships, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 222, entitled

A bill amending the charter of the village of Vassar, county of Tuscola.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. French,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Counties and townships:

The committee on Counties and townships, to whom was referred House bill No. 708, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Ellsworth, in the county of Lake, State of Michigan, and to organize the township of Newkirk in said county.

Respectfully report that theyhave had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order

By the committee on Counties and townships.

The committee on Counties and townships to whom was referred Senate bill No. 412, entitled

A bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of a drain in and through the townships of Rich and Deerfield in the county of Lapeer, State of Michigan.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without

amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. French,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 303, entitled

A bill to appropriate twenty-five thousand dollars to erect and equip a building for physical education and training at the State Normal School at Ypsilanti.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Pierce moved that the bill be referred to the committee of the whole and the consideration thereof made the special order for Tuesday, May 16, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

On which motion Mr. Fox demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion made by Mr. Pierce then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe	
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clapp	Hough	Sabin	
Clark	McGinley	Turnbull	
Doran	Mears	Weiss	
Earle	Morrow	Wilkins	
French	Mugford		20

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. Jewell	
Burt	Garvelink	Mellen	6

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 83, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patient's library, for hall painting and renovating at the Eastern Michigan Asylum.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests to whom was referred

House bill No 240 (file No. 155), entitled

A bill to provide for the inspection of illuminatiog oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils, and to repeal act No. 127, laws of 1879, as amended by act No. 49 of the laws of 1881, act No. 20 of the laws of 1881, and act No. 71 laws of 1891.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

On motion of Mr. Mellen,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Tuesday's session.

By the committee on Constitutional amendments:

The committee on Constitutional amendments, to whom was referred

House joint resolution No. 29 (file No. 9), entitled

Joint resolution for submitting to the people an amendment to section 5, article 7, of the constitution of this State, relative to the residence of inmates maintained at public expense, at asylums and other public institutions, by adding a proviso relative to soldiers who reside at the Soldiers' Home.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further considerationof the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The joint resolution was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 440 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 6 and 9 of act No. 179 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to establish, protect and enforce by lien, the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for building, altering, improving, repairing, erecting or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves, and all other structures," and to repeal all acts contravening the provisions of this act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 97 (file No. 59), entitled

A bill to amend section 27 of act No. 179 of the public acts of 1891, being an act entitled "An act to establish, protect and enforce by lien the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for the building, altering, improving, repairing, erecting or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures, and to repeal all acts contravening the provisions of this act," approved July 1, 1891.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr, Clapp,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 420, entitled

A bill to provide for extra pay for the over time in which brakemen and other employés employed on the various railroad lines in this State are compelled to labor.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to regulate the length of time which shall be a day's labor by certain employés on railroads in this State, and to provide for pro rata compensation for extra services in addition to their daily compensation.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 93 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to protect toilers against unjust demands of employers of labor; to give redress to employés discharged in certain cases, and to punish employers, their agents, clerks and servants for any violation of this act.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments

be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 257, entitled

A bill to provide for the amiable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employés, and to authorize the creation of a State board of mediation and arbitration.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 454 (file No. 194), entitled

A bill to prevent any person or employer of labor to coerce or prevent employés from joining or belonging to any lawfully organized labor organization, and to provide a punishment therefor.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from thefurther consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Labor interests:

The committee on Labor interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 257 (file No. 172), entitled

A bill to prohibit the opening of barber shops on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, for the purpose of carrying on or engaging in the art or calling of hair cutting, shaving, hair dressing and shampooing, or in any work pertaining to the trade or business of a barber, on the said first day of the week, commonly called Sunday.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without

recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Public health

The committee on Public health, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 265, entitled

A bill specifying duties of health authorities, providing for a public sanitary meeting annually in each township, city and village, and for the adoption of estimates for ordinary sanitary work and expenditures.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

MARDEN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No 574, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Crystal Falls in the county of Iron to lease, purchase, construct and maintain water power with which to run the water and electric plants of said village and to issue bonds therefor.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Burt moved to amend the bill by striking out of lines 1 and 2, Sec. 5 the word "majority" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two-thirds."

By striking of line 1 section 6 the word "majority" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two-thirds."

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to amend the bill then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears
Burt	Gibson	Mellen
Champion	Hopkins	Morrow
Clapp	Hough	Mugford
Clark		13

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pierce
Doran	Jewell	Sabin
Earle	McGinley	Weiss
French	Pascoe	Wilkins 12

Mr. Hopkins moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate adopted the above named amendment.

Which motion prevailed.

The question then recurring on the adoption of the amendment offered by Mr. Burt, the same was not adopted, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Clapp	Mr. Mellen
Burt	Clark	5

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe
Crane	Hopkins	Pierce
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull
Earle	McGinley	Weiss
Fox	Morrow	Wilkins
French	Mugford	17

The question then being on the passage of the bill.

The bill was passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford
Champion	Gibson	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce
Crane	Hough	Turnbull
Doran	Jewell	Weiss
Earle	McGinley	Wilkins
Fox		22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 28 (file No. 33), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of supreme, grand and subordinate lodges of the United Home Protectors Fraternity, a coöperative fraternal building and loan society or order.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 6 (file No. 3), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the senate and local clubs of the Happy Home Clubs of America.

Senate bill No. 106 (file No. 40), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of the act entitled "An act to revise the laws for the incorporation of all manufacturing companies, except such as are contemplated by act No. 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manufacture of salt, and mercantile companies, or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations," approved June 20, 1885.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 117 (file No. 45), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of constructing, owning, controlling and acquiring by lease, buildings for exposition and exhibition purposes," approved February 13, 1889, being act No. 6 of the session laws of 1889.

Senate bill No. 456, entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 349, of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Freemont in the county of Newaygo," approved April 23, 1875.

CHARLEL S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 52 (file No. 196), entitled

A bill to provide separate grades for railroads and public highways and streets where railroads intersect such highways and streets.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 12, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to retransmit the following bill:

House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning out and deepening Black river, in Sanilac county, for sanitary purposes, and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of the State Board of Health.

Which the House passed on the 13th day of April, and of which the House afterward requested the return from the Senate as shown by prior messages, and now to inform the Senate that the House has not reconsidered its passage of said bill but has directed the retransmission of the same to the Senate.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 12, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 695, entitled

A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of St. Clair,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked:

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Clapp offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Attorney General and Commissioner of Railroads are hereby authorized and directed to commence proceedings against the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway Company in order to test the legality of act number 123 of the public acts of 1891, and to determine whether or not by virtue of said act, said railway company is subject to all the restrictions, and liable to perform all the duties now imposed by the general laws upon railroad companies.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Weiss moved that a respectful message be sent to the House asking the return to the Senate of

House bill No. 705, entitled

A bill to revise and amend the charter of West Bay City, and repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, being act No. 307 of the local acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1885, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Fox moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 333 (file No. 188), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 171 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act establishing a State agency for juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended by act No. 37 of the public acts of 1875, as amended by act No. 168 of the session laws of 1885, as amended by act No. 295 of the session laws of 1887, amended by act No. 187 of the public acts of 1889, and being compiler's section No. 9894 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof.

Mr. Jewell moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 28 of amended section 1, after the words "board of" the words "correction and."

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	French	Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Champion	Hough	Turnbull	
Clapp	Jewell	Weiss	
Clark	McGinley	Wilkins	
Earle	Mellen		20

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 171 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1873, entitled "An act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended, being compiler's section 9894 of third Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No 159 (file No. 235), entitled

A bill to create the 34th judicial circuit and provide for the holding of courts therein.

Pending third reading of which,

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The bill was laid on the table.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Clapp to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 85 (file No. 50), entitled

A bill to authorize the State board of agriculture to hold institutes and to establish courses of reading and lectures for the instruction of citizens of this State in the various branches of agriculture, and making an appropriation therefor.

Substitute for Senate bill No. 464 (file No. 220), entitled

A bill to amend sections 5 and 9 of act No. 134 of the public acts of 1885 entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Michigan," approved June 2, 1885.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

MYRON W. CLARK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hopkins moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time, and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Hopkins moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senator reported absent without leave: Mr. Gilbert.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

Mr. Gilbert was excused from the operation of the call.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin
Earle	Jewell	Steel
Fox	McGinley	Weiss
French	McLaughlin	Wilkins

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Hough	Mr. Morrow
Doran		4

Title agreed to.

Mr. Hopkins moved that the bill be ordered to take effect June 12, 1893, On which motion Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford	
Brandage	Gibson	Pascoe	
Burt	Hopkins	Pierce	
Champion	Hough	Sabin	
Clapp	Jewell	Steel	
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French	Mellen		26
	NAYS.		0

In announcing his vote on the above named bill Mr. Doran sent up the following protest which was ordered spread on the Journal:

I hereby protest against the passage of the proposed tax bill because it changes the present law in regard to the collection of delinquent taxes to the Auditor General's office from the present county system, thus needlessly increasing the cost of collection to the counties of Wayne, Kent and other counties; also because the means of bringing parties into court for delinquent taxes I believe is unconstitutional and inoperative and will result in the State being loaded with delinquent taxes that it can not get rid of.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 699 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of title 1, sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2, sections 12 and 13 of title 3, title 4, section 1 of title 5, sections 8, 11, 18, 19 and 20 of title 6; title 8; sections 8, 10, 11, 12 and 16 of title 10; section 1 of title 11; section 3 of title 12; sections 2, 5 and 9 of title 13; section 18 of title 14; and title 15 of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw, to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city, to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights, to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act No. 455 of the local acts of 1889, and being in the charter of the city of Saginaw.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report, as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 37), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the soliciting or issuing of unauthorized fire or inland marine insurance policies in this State," approved May 12, 1881, the same being compiler's section No. 4354 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Senate bill No. 264 (file No. 103), entitled

A bill to provide for the sale by the board of trustees of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane of land held by the State, for the use and benefit of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo, and to expend the proceeds of such sale for the purchase of other lands by the said board of trustees of said asylum.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 302 (file No. 131), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 109 of the laws of Michigan for 1857, entitled "An act to provide for feeing an attorney when appointed by the court," approved February 14, 1857, being compiler's section 9046 of 2 Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan."

Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and settings, for a water tower, for electric lighting, and for new engines and setting at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo,

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Normal School:

The committee on Normal School, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 55, entitled

A bill to establish the Central Michigan State Normal School at Mt. Pleasant, Michigan, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that it be referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 85 (file No. 50), entitled

A bill to authorize the State board of agriculture to hold institutes and to establish courses of reading and lectures for the instruction of citizens of this State in the various branches of agriculture, and making an appropriation therefor.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	French	Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Hough	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Doran	McGinley	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	27

NAYS.

Mr. Mellen 1

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 464 (file No. 220), entitled

A bill to amend sections 5 and 9 of act No. 134 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Michigan," approved June 2, 1885.

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Earle moved that the enacting clause of the bill be stricken out,

On which motion Mr. Wilkins demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Earle	Mr. Mears	
Clapp	Fox	Weiss	
Doran	Garvelink		8

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Pascoe	
Champion	McLaughlin	Pierce	
Clark	Mellen	Sabin	
French	Morrow	Turnbull	
Hough	Mugford	Wilkins	
Jewell			16

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Pierce	
Champion	McGinley	Sabin	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
French	Mugford	Wilkins	
Hough	Pascoe		14

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Doran	Mr. Garvelink	
Clapp	Earle	Hopkins	
Crane	Fox	Weiss	9

Mr. McGinley moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Pending which,

Mr. Weiss moved that the motion of Mr. McGinley be laid on the table.

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then recurring on the motion of Mr. McGinley to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill, the same prevailed.

The question then being on the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Barnard moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

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Lansing, Saturday, May 13, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Barnard, Doran, Hough and Wilkins.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Wilkins until Wednesday.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

Leave of absence was granted to all absentees from todays session.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Tuesday's session.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Tuesday's session.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

Leave of absene was granted himself until Tuesday morning.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, moved that when the Senate adjourns today it stand adjourned until Monday at 9 o'clock p. m.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Morrow moved that no leave of absence be granted to any Senator during the remainder of the session.

Mr. Weiss moved that the motion of Mr. Morrow be laid on the table,

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Weiss then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Garvelink	Steel	
Clark	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Crane	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Pascoe		14

NAYS

Mr. Burt	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	McGinley	Sabin	
Gibson			7

Mr. Morrow asked leave to make a motion and the President stated that the Senate not being on the order of motions and resolutions, the motion could not be received at this time; whereupon Mr. Morrow raised the point of order that his motion was properly before the Senate.

Which point of order the President overruled.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 695, entitled

A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of St. Clair.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. French,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

Pending third reading of which,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Turnbull moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 695, entitled

A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of St. Clair.

On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. French	Mr. McGinley	
Champion	Garvelink	Morrow	
Clapp	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fox			16

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. McLaughlin	Mr. Sabin	
		Weiss	4

Pending third reading of the bill,

Mr. French moved that the bill be laid on the table.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays:

The motion to lay the bill on the table then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	McLaughlin	Steel	
French	Pascoe	Weiss	13
Garvelink			

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	McGinley	Turnbull	9

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 254 (file No. 333), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 182 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of a franchise fee by corporations," approved July 2, 1893.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Steel moved that the rules be suspended and that the bill be placed on its immediate passage.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Steel then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pascoe	
Champion	Jewell	Pierce	
Clapp	McGinley	Steel	
Garvelink	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Gibson	Morrow	Weiss	15

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Crane	Mr. Fox	3

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon,

The President called Mr. Garvelink to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 254 (file No. 333), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 182 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of a franchise fee by corporations," approved July 2, 1891.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

JAN W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 356, entitled

An act to amend sections 130, 149, 158, 173, 175 and 177 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 13, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof, and to repeal section 69 of said act.

Senate bill No. 28 (file No. 33), entitled

An act to provide for the incorporation of supreme, grand and subordinate lodges of the United Home Protectors Fraternity, a co-operative, fraternal building and loan society or order.

Very respectfully,

JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 12, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following bill:

House Bill No. 705, entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of title III of act No. 307 of the local acts of 1885, being "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of West Bay City, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith; and to amend sections 10, 11 and 12 of title V of act No. 271 of the local acts of 1891, being an act to amend act No. 307 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of West Bay City, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith."

In compliance with the request of the Senate therefor this day received.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Weiss moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 11, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 34 (file No. 234), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein,'" approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add two new sections thereto, to stand as sections 7 and 8 of said act.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the special committee on Congressional apportionment:

The special committee on Congressional apportionment, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Morrow moved that the bill be referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then being on concurring in the amendment made by the committee to the bill,

Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. McLaughlin
Crane	Gibson	Pascoe

Mr. Fox	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pierce	
French	Jewell	Weiss	12

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Morrow	Mr. Steel	
Champion	Mugford	Turnbull	
Clark			7

Mr. Morrow moved that the bill be referred to the committee of the whole and the further consideration thereof be made the special order for Wednesday, May 17, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Pending which,

Mr. Turnbull moved to amend the motion made by Mr. Morrow by making the time for the further consideration of the bill this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Which motion prevailed and the motion was so amended.

The question then recurring on the motion of Mr. Morrow as amended, the same prevailed and the bill was referred to the committee of the whole and the consideration thereof made the special order for this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 254 (file No. 333), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act number 182 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of a franchise fee by corporations," approved July 2, 1891.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Champion	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clapp	Jewell	Steel	
Clark	McGinley	Turnbull	
Crane	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Morrow		
French	Mugford		22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Fox moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 222, entitled

A bill to amend the village charter of the village of Vassar, in the county of Tuscola,

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mugford	Weiss	
Garvelink	Pascoe		17

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to authorize the township of Gilford in the county of Tuscola to borrow money for the purpose of constructing a drain as herein provided, in said county of Tuscola.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. Fox moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 412, entitled

A bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of a drain in and through the townships of Rich and Deerfield, in the county of Lapeer and State of Michigan.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Fox	McGinley	Weiss	
French	McLaughlin		17

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to authorize the township of Wisner in the county of Tuscola to borrow money for the purpose of constructing a drain as herein provided in said county of Tuscola.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 354 (file No. 199), entitled

A bill to provide for an approval fee for approving articles of incorporation, renewal or amendment to the charters of mutual insurance companies.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred,

House bill No. 381 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to provide a penalty for malicious injury to or use of telegraph and telephone instruments, and the unauthorized reading or copying messages therefrom.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 213 (file No. 139), entitled

A bill to provide that the division of the league of American wheelmen and the branches thereof known as the clubs of the State of Michigan be incorporated.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 188, entitled

A bill to amend section 55 of act No. 205 of the public acts of this State for the year 1887, entitled "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," approved June 21, 1887.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred House bill No. 260 (file No. 294), entitled

A bill for the incorporation of the Ladies' Aid Society, auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans of the United States of America, Division of Michigan, and of subordinate societies thereof,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Education and public schools:

The committee on Education and public schools, to whom was referred House bill No. 838 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act number 147 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a county commissioner of schools, for the appointment of school examiners, and to define the duties and fix the compensation for the same, and to repeal all existing acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this acts," approved June 14, 1891.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Education and public schools:

The committee on Education and public schools, to whom was referred House bill No. 575 (file No. 214), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 11 of act No. 164 of public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act," the same being section 5141 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to libraries in school districts,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Education and public schools:

The committee on Education and public schools, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 260, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 14, 15 and 17 of an act, entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24, 1869, as amended by acts amendatory thereof, the same being act No. 233 of the public acts of 1869.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to request of the Senate that the bill be printed for the use of the committee.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The request was granted, and the bill ordered printed for the use of the committee.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 192 (file No. 305), entitled

A bill to dedicate certain State lands within the city of Lansing to the public for street and highway purposes.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendment thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Champion moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Jewell	Steel	
Crane	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fox	Morrow	Weiss	21

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. McGinley moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 695, entitled

A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of St. Clair.

Which motion prevailed.

Pending third reading of the bill,

Mr. French moved that the further consideration of the bill be made the special order for Monday evening at 9:15 o'clock.

Pending which,

Mr. Burt moved to amend by making the time for the further consideration of the bill Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion made by Mr. French then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Sabin	
Fox	McGinley	Steel	
French	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Garvelink	Morrow		17

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Mugford	Mr. Turnbull	
Clark			4

And the further consideration of the bill was made the special order for Monday evening next at 9:15 o'clock.

Mr. Morrow moved that when the Senate adjourn it stand adjourned until Monday at 9 o'clock p. m.

On which motion Mr. Turnbull demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Morrow then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow	
Clark	Hopkins	Mugford	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
French	McLaughlin	Weiss	12

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Fox	Jewell	Turnbull	6

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

being the consideration of

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts.

Mr. Weiss moved that the Senate resolve itself into committee of the whole on the special order.

On which motion Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays:

The motion of Mr. Weiss then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin	
Fox	McGinley	Steel	
French	McLaughlin	Weiss	16

NAYS.

Mr. Turnbull	1

The Senate then went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Garvelink to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

Report accepted.

Mr. Turnbull, by unanimous consent moved that the rules be suspended and that the bill be placed on its immediate passage,

Which motion prevailed, two thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

Pending third reading of the bill,

Mr. Weiss moved to lay the bill on the table.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Weiss then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Crane	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Sabin	
Fox	McGinley	Steel	
French	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Garvelink	Pierce		11

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Clapp	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Champion	Morrow	Turnbull	9

And the bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock p. m., on Monday next.

Lansing, Monday, May 15, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Burt, Clapp, Crane, McGinley, Mears and Morrow.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Burt.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

Leave of absence was granted to all the absentees from today's session.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 231. By Mr. Mugford: Communication from the Big Rapids district conference, Methodist Episcopal church against the taxation of church property.

On motion of Mr. Mugford,

The petition was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

Pentwater, Mich., May 12, 1893.

Hon. E. T. Mugford, Lansing, Mich.:

DEAR SIR—At a session of the Big Rapids district conference, Mehthodist Episcopal church, a body of 50 ministers, representing a church membership of 5,000, assembled in Hart, Michigan, May 10 and 11, 1893, accepted and adopted the inclosed resolution and instructed the secretary to send the same to you.

Yours very respectfully,

C. S. WHEELER, *Sec.*

WHEREAS, A strenuous effort is being put forth to have the Legislature of Michigan pass an act authorizing the taxation of church and all property held for benevolent purposes throughout our domain;

Resolved, That we are unalterably opposed to such a measure as it would be detrimental to the interests of Church and State, laying as it would a burden upon Christian people they are unable to bear, quenching

the fires of benevolence and crushing those institutions which are the bulwarks of our land.

ALBERT SMITH,
A. H. COORS,
C. H. PALMATIER,
Committee.

Mr. Sabin, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That hereafter until further ordered the Senate hold its regular daily sessions commencing at 9 o'clock a. m.

Which resolution was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 13, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate bill No. 102 (file No. 37), entitled

An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the soliciting or issuing of unauthorized fire or inland marine insurance policies in this State," approved May 12, 1881, the same being compiler's section No. 4354 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 264 (file No. 103), entitled

An act to provide for the sale by the board of trustees of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, of land held by the State for the use and benefit of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo, and to expend the proceeds of such sale for the purchase of other lands by the said board of trustees of said asylum.

Senate bill No. 106 (file No. 40), entitled

An act to amend section 4 of the act entitled "An act to revise the laws for the incorporation of all manufacturing companies, except such as are contemplated by act No. 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manufacture of salt, and mercantile companies, or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations," approved June 20, 1885.

Senate bill No. 117 (file No. 45), entitled

An act to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of constructing, owning, controlling and acquiring by lease buildings for exposition and exhibition purposes," approved February 13, 1889, being act No. 6 of the session laws of 1889.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the further consideration of
House bill No. 695, entitled
A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of St. Clair.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Doran	Hough	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	21

NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. French,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Doran to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 240 (file No. 155), entitled

A bill to provide for the inspection of illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils, and to repeal act No. 127, laws of 1879, as amended by act No. 49 of the laws of 1881, act No. 20 of the laws of 1881, and act No. 71, laws of 1891.

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 14), entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24, 1869, as amended by act No. 397 of the acts of 1891, and to repeal section 15 of said act, approved February 24, 1869.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

PETER DORAN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Doran moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Mich., Tuesday, May 16, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. McGinley and Sawyer.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

Leave of absence was granted to all absentees from today's session.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 232. By Mr. Clapp: Memorial from the First Unitarian church of Kalamazoo, against the passage of a capital punishment bill.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The memorial was ordered spread on the Journal as follows:

To the Legislature of the State of Michigan, from the First Unitarian Church of Kalamazoo, Respectful Greeting and Memorial, as follows:

A bill to make murder of the first degree punishable by death, having been introduced in one branch of your Honorable Body and reported upon favorably by the Judiciary committee, we, as citizens of the State of Michigan, proud of her past achievements and of the humane character of penal code; jealous lest, while the civilized world is steadily marching on to a more enlightened policy towards all violators of law, our State should take a backward step, and viewing with horror the crime of murder, whether committed by the individual or by organized society beg leave to most earnestly protest against the enactment of a law providing for capital punishment for the crime of murder. We are constrained to make this protest from many considerations, among which are the following:

1. The State has no right to award capital punishment to even the lowest and meanest of its citizens out of any spirit of retaliation, or with the thought of meting out "just deserts" to the murderer. We do not know what evil inheritance, evil example, evil training, or diseased or abnormal conditions of mind may have done to make the man what he has become. Only God can know the degree of his accountability. It is no part of our duty or privilege to deal out so called "justice" to our fellow men.

2. Capital punishment as a deterrent to other potential criminals has been proved not only inefficacious, but of exactly the opposite tendency; because, first the spectacle of the State itself engaged in the slaughter of one of its citizens tends to brutalize the public, and so to raise up out of society other murderers for the gallows. The history of criminal jurisprudence records numerous cases in which the crime of murder seems to have been directly suggested by witnessing the execution of the brutal death penalty. The State can never teach the sacredness of human life by itself taking human life. And, secondly, the existence upon our statute books of a law providing for capital punishment encourages rather than deters from crime, because all criminals know how very rare is the enforcement of the penalty, and, moreover, that the extreme severity of the penalty operates to protect them from conviction of crimes that would involve this punishment.

Moreover, if the deterrent theory be sound, then we should return to the old-time widely advertised public execution, with all the horrible details open to the general eye. But the modern human sentiment (which recommends semi-secrecy and the use of electricity to ameliorate the horror, and the suppression of details from the public) flatly contradicts the theory of deterrence.

3. Capital punishment as a means of protection to society is, as to the safe custody of the criminal, unnecessary. The escape of criminals is due almost always to the carelessness or recklessness of the authorities in charge. If there be danger through the use of the pardoning prerogative, then this prerogative is subject so such further limitation as your Honorable Body shall see fit to impose upon it.

And, further, capital punishment as a means of ridding society of criminals is a distinct failure, since its chief effect is to render it extremely difficult (through the natural and commendable reluctance of jurors to take human life, possibly innocent life), to convict persons charged with the crime of murder in the first degree. Thus, instead of protecting society, it protects the worst criminals and turns them back upon society.

4. Capital punishment affords a constant apology for mob violence which feels warranted in doing quickly and off-hand what the State might do more slowly, expensively and uncertainly. Mob violence is the greatest menace which any State can harbor within its borders.

5. There is constant danger that the death penalty, even when restricted to convictions under direct testimony, may take innocent lives. Should our State ever be stained with such a crime, it will not be the judge and jury alone who must bear the burden of remorse. Every lawmaker and every citizen who has advocated this proposed law, or suffered it to pass without protest, must share this burden of responsibility.

6. We would have our State maintain its level with the new and better thought, that the criminal is not an isolated fact; that the criminal is a product of our defective civilization; that the criminal is not wholly responsible for himself, and that the remaining responsibility society must humbly take; and, while protecting itself from further injury by the criminal, it must not forget that the criminal himself is an "*injured person*"—injured before his birth through inheritance of evil disposition or passions; or afterwards by evil example or a training which inculcated no self-control; or injured by the indifference, contempt or inhumanity of the world; or, injured by himself, perhaps, seeking happiness in blind, mistaken, cruel ways that in the end bring dismay and bewilderment and despair. Where is the place for magnanimity, if not towards those who have injured us and are now in our power? And, have they not injured themselves far more than they have injured another? How much more terrible the misfortune to *be a murderer* than to be his *victim*!

Shall then, the State reverse the situation, and transfigure the murderer into the defenseless victim of its violence? Shall there be two crimes where before there was but one, and the last the most deplorable, because more premeditated and cold blooded, and authorized by those whose moral enlightenment creates for them a far graver responsibility? Or, shall our State assert the sacredness of human life by holding inviolate in its hands the life of even its bitterest enemies?

7. And not only the physical life do we plead for, but for humane conditions of imprisonment for even the worst criminals, such as will not rob them of the last shred of their sanity and moral accountability. We pro-

test against solitary confinement for life as even more cruel and inhuman than the death penalty. Homicidal maniacs in our best hospitals for the insane are not totally separated from their fellows, but are partially restricted in freedom of movement by some mechanical device, which would not necessarily prevent their employment at useful labor. Such is at once the humane and the safe treatment of criminals who are suspected of inclination to violence towards their keepers or fellow-convicts. We protest against laxity in dealing with desperate criminals, but feel assured, on the other hand, that neither the State nor the criminal can possibly be benefited by a mode of treatment which in a few years almost infallibly reduces the convict to a state of hopeless and helpless imbecility.

Moved, therefore, By a profound desire for whatever best assures the dignity and nobility of our State and the safety of her citizens, and by a profound conviction that capital punishment is incompatible with these desired ends; that it is in the highest degree inhuman; that it is far beneath the level of the feeling, intelligence and conscience of this State; that it is wrong and cruel if based upon the idea of dealing out "just punishment" to the criminal; that it is ineffectual if based on the idea of deterrence; that it is absolutely contradictory to the idea of protecting society, since it effects the escape of the worst criminals from justice; that it is an incentive to mob violence within our borders; that it renders possible the taking of innocent lives under the most horrible and irreparable circumstances—profoundly believing that capital punishment by the State is, in fact, a barbarism which it should be our chief glory that *we left behind us* nearly half a century ago, we your petitioners, having full faith in your intention to do in this matter whatever shall seem to you just and humane and right, most earnestly plead with each and every member of your Honorable Body not to make this Columbian year (in which all the world seeks to register the highest reach of its civilization) memorable by a retrograde step which involves the very *fundamental distinction* between *civilization* and *barbarism*, and would range Michigan on the side of cruelty, violence and retaliation, instead of mercy, wisdom and the unalterable principles of right.

All of which is as respectfully as it is earnestly submitted to the consideration of your Honorable Body, and to each and every member thereof.

CAROLINE J. BARTLETT, *Minister*,
MRS. H. B. HOYT, *President*,
E. E. BROWNSON, *Secretary*,
MRS. A. J. HOLMES,
L. G. BRAGG,
W. H. LONGLEY,
OTTO IHLING,
E. T. MILLS.

Board of Trustees, First Unitarian Church, Kalamazoo, Mich.

In behalf of the First Unitarian Church of Kalamazoo, which unanimously voted the above memorial this Sunday morning, May 14, 1893.

Attest,

E. E. BROWNSON, *Secretary.* J. N. STEARNS, *Chairman.*

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 34 (file No. 234), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein,'" approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add two new sections thereto, to stand as section 7 and 8 of said act.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Fisheries:

The majority of the committee on Fisheries, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 281 (file No. 185), entitled

A bill to regulate fishing in Wild Fowl bay.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Fisheries:

The committee on Fisheries, to whom was referred

House bill No. 862 (file No. 286), entitled

A bill to prohibit catching or taking fish in Maple river and tributary streams in any other manner than with hook and line.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Weiss moved that a respectful message be sent to the House asking the return to the Senate of

House bill No. 641 (file No. 272), entitled

A bill to establish a public hospital in the city of Detroit.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Fox moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the Upper Peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No 240 (file No. 155), entitled

A bill to provide for the inspection of illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils, and to repeal act No. 127, laws of 1879, as amended by act No. 49 of the laws of 1881, act No. 20 of the laws of 1881, and act No. 71 laws of 1891.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Clark moved to amend the bill

1. By inserting in line 2, section 2 after the word "deputies," *Provided*, That the number of deputies so appointed in the State shall not exceed 22.

2. By inserting in line 7 of section 3 after the word "inspector" the words "or his deputies."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Sabin moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting in line 10 of section 2 after the word "cup" the words "with a lighted wick placed inside the tube and under the thimble."

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Hopkins	Pierce
Clapp	Hough	Sabin
Earle	Jewell	Steel
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull
French	Mellen	Weiss
Garvelink		19

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Mr. Sabin moved that the bill be given effect July 1, 1893.

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was laid on the table.

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 14), entitled

A bill to amend section fourteen of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit, approved February 24, 1869, as amended by act number 397 of the acts of 1891, and to repeal section fifteen of said act, approved February 24, 1869.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe
Champion	Hopkins	Sabin
Clapp	Hough	Steel

Mr. Doran	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Turnbull	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mellen		20

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section fourteen of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24, 1869, as amended by act number 397 of the acts of 1891, to repeal section fifteen of said act, approved February 24, 1869, and to add one new section to said act to stand as section twenty-six.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 310 (file No. 132), entitled

A bill to amend sections 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act, entitled 'An act relative to free schools in the city of Grand Rapids,'" approved March 15, 1871, which said revision was approved May 9, 1877, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 4 and thirteen of an act entitled "An act to revise an act, entitled 'An act relative to free schools in the city of Grand Rapids,'" approved March 15, 1871, which said revision was approved May 9, 1877, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford
Champion	Gilbert	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce

Mr. Clark	Mr. Hough	Mr. Sabin
Doran	Jewell	Steel
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Fox	Mellen	Weiss
French		25

NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Gibson to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 83 (file No. 246), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patients' library, and for hall painting and renovating, at the Eastern Michigan Asylum.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

CHARLES F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 303 (file No. 245), entitled

A bill to appropriate twenty-five thousand dollars to erect and equip a building for physical education and training at the State Normal School at Ypsilanti.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate went into committee of the whole, on the special order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Gibson to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, the President *pro tem* having taken the chair, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 303 (file No. 245), entitled

A bill to appropriate $25,000 to erect and equip a building for physical education and training at the State Normal School at Ypsilanti.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

CHARLES F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President *pro tem* called Mr. Gibson to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 303 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill prohibiting the transportation of fish outside of the State which are caught in any of the waters of the counties of Branch or St. Joseph.

House bill No. 274 (file No. 291), entitled

A bill to provide a general law under which corporations may be formed to carry on institutions for the treatment of disease and for instruction therein and in hygiene.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 68 (file No. 18), entitled

A bill in relation to taxable transfers of property.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 155 (file No. 222), entitled

A bill to amend section 27 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the laws of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, as amended by act No. 166 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 6, 1883, further amended by act No. 231 of the public acts of 1889, approved July 1, 1889, being compiler's section No. 1322, volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage; and further to recommend the bill as amended be printed in the Journal.

CHARLES F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the third named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills, and ordered to be printed as amended, in the Journal.

The following is the bill:

Senate bill No. 155 (file No. 222).

[Introduced by Senator Brundage.]

Recommended by committee on Roads and bridges.

Amended by Senate May 16, 1893.

A BILL to amend section 27 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the laws of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, as amended by act No. 166 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 6, 1883, further amended by act No. 231 of the public acts of 1889, approved July 1, 1889, being compiler's section No. 1322, Vol. 3 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section twenty-seven of chapter one of act number two hundred and forty-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one, being an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June eighth, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, as amended by act number one hundred and sixty-six of the public acts of eighteen hundred and eighty-three, approved June six, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, and further amended by act number two hundred and thirty-one of the public acts of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, approved July first, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, being compiler's section number thirteen hundred and twenty-two, volume three, of Howell's annotated statutes of this State, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

SEC. 1322—SEC. 27. In laying out any highway under the provisions of this act where the same crosses the track or right of way of any railroad company, the same proceedings in relation to acquiring the right of way for such highway across the land of such railroad company, including the right of way across the tracks, shall be had as in other cases. Service of all papers shall be made in the same manner upon such railroad company as is provided by law for the service of summons on railroad companies:

Such railroad company shall be entitled to receive the actual value of the use of the land taken for such highway, and when the compensation awarded such railroad company for such damages as above provided shall have been paid or tendered to any person in charge of the ticket or freight offices of such company entitled thereto and situated nearest the said highway crossing, pursuant to the provisions of section twenty-four of this chapter, then and in such case such right of way shall be deemed to be fully acquired and secured for the public.

After the right of way has been acquired, the commissioner of railroads of this State shall, on application of the highway commissioner,

furnish plans and specifications of approaches, cattle guards, fences and other safeguards as may be necessary to make such crossing reasonably safe for the use of the public and all business of such railroad, and thereupon, upon receipt of such plans and specifications, the highway commissioner shall advertise for proposals for opening such highway across the right of way and tracks of such railroad company, according to such plans and specifications, as provided in other cases for letting all contracts by highway commissioners, for constructing and improving highways and bridges.

Such railroad company is hereby required to furnish a competent superintendent or trackman to superintend the construction of such crossing, and such township shall pay to such railroad company a per diem compensation for such superintendent, not exceeding two dollars per day for the time actually and necessarily spent in superintending such construction, and such highway commissioner is authorized to issue orders in payment of such contract and for the payment of such superintendent, as provided by law.

In case such railroad company refuses or neglects to furnish a superintendent for the construction of such crossing as aforesaid, then and in such case it shall be the duty of the commissioner of railroads to appoint some suitable person, who shall receive the compensation aforesaid from the said township, to oversee and superintend the construction of such crossing: *Provided*, That in cases where the expense of constructing such crossing shall be less than fifty dollars the same may be performed by the said highway commissioner under the supervision of a superintendent, as aforesaid, without the letting of any contract, and such commissioner of highways is authorized to draw orders for the payment of the same as in other cases.

If any railroad company shall attempt to obstruct the opening of any such highway after such right of way has been secured and payment of damages herein provided for has been made and tendered as herein provided, by any agent, officer or employé or any other person, the said railroad company shall be liable to a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each day the opening or construction of such highway is delayed or impeded, for the benefit of the township; and the highway commissioner may sue for and recover such penalty in any of the courts of this State; and in addition thereto, if any officer, agent or employé or person acting for and in the interest of any railroad company, shall annoy, hinder or obstruct any highway commissioner, contractor or person employed by him or them in opening such highway or constructing any grades, approaches, cattle-guards, crossings or fences required to complete, or for the use of such highway and the public, such officer, agent, employé or person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not to exceed one hundred dollars or imprisoned in the county jail not to exceed ninety days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President *pro tem.* announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 691 (file No. 284), entitled

A bill to provide for the judicial investigation and determination of titles to land so as to confirm and establish the same, and for the registration of titles so established.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 378 (file No. 313), entitled

A bill to amend sections 2 and 35 of act No. 264 of the session laws of 1861, entitled "An act to authorize proceedings by garnishment in the circuit courts and the district court of the upper peninsula,'" as amended by subsequent acts amendatory thereof, being compiler's sections 8059 and 8091 of Howell's annotated statutes."

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President *pro tem* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 278 (file No. 78), entitled

A bill to provide for the extension of the term of existence of corporations or associations organized under Act No. 87 of acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1855, approved February 12, 1855, entitled "An act relating to burying grounds," and amendments thereto, the corporate term of existence of which has heretofore expired, or may hereafter expire by limitation, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations or associations.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President *pro tem.* also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 65 (file No. 62), entitled

A bill to authorize certain water supply companies, now or hereafter organized, to also operate electric plants in connection with their water works system.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

By striking out of line 3 of sections 1 and 2 the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Clapp	Gibson	Pascoe
Crane	Gilbert	Steel
Doran	Hough	Turnbull
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss
French	Mellen	President *pro tem.*

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The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs to whom was referred,

Senate bill No. 332, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the general expenses of the State government, salaries of State officers, the expenses of the State departments, and the expenses of the Legislature for the years 1893 and 1894, and to provide a tax for such purposes.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate and recommend that the bill be referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Education and public schools:

The committee on Education and public schools, to whom was referred House bill No. 379 (file No. 289), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 39 of acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1855, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of institutions of learning," approved Feb. 9, 1855, as amended by act No. 99 of public acts of 1885, the same being section No. 4378 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the visiting of institutions of learning.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Acting chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Fisheries.

The committee on Fisheries to whom was referred

House bill No. 373 (file No. 266), entitled

A bill to encourage the propagation and culture of white fish and the protection of white fish fry in South Manistique lake in the county of Mackinaw, in this State, by granting certain privileges to owners and lessees of all the lands bordering upon such lake, and shall annually for a specified time deposit in such lake certain quantities of white fish fry, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this act.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Doran	Hopkins	Steel	
Earle	Hough	Turnbull	
Flesheim	Jewell	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin		23

NAYS.

Mr. Crane 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Flesheim,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 153 (House file No. 277), entitled

A bill providing for the protection of Antwerp or homing pigeons.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Jewell	
Brundage	Fox	McLaughlin	
Champion	French	Morrow	
Clapp	Garvelink	Pierce	
Crane	Gibson	Sabin	
Doran	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Earle	Hough	Weiss	21

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Insurance:

The committee on Insurance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 620 (file No. 190), entitled

A bill to amend sections one, two, three, and four of act No. 174 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for bringing suits against foreign, co-operative and mutual benefit insurance societies and associations organized under the laws of other states or territories and doing business in this State.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration. and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 27, entitled

A bill to amend section 261, Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the appointment of a private secretary and executive clerk to the Governor.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	French	Mugford	
Clapp	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clark	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Gilbert	Steel	
Doran	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Earle	Hough	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Jewell		23
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take effect July 1, 1893.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 156 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the Industrial School for Boys for the years 1893 and 1894.

Which passed the Senate April 18, 1893, and the House amended as follows:

1. By striking out of lines 1 and 2 of section 1 the words "fifty-three thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-six thousand," and by striking out of line 3, section 1, the words "fifty-three thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-six thousand."

2. By inserting in line 1 of section 2 after the word "dollars" the words "is hereby appropriated."

3. By striking out of lines 1 and 2 of section 3 the words "the above mentioned sum."

4. By striking out of line 2, section 3, the words "fifty-five thousand," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-eight thousand," and by striking out in lines 3 and 4 of section 3 the words "fifty-three thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty-six thousand."

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	French	Mugford	
Champion	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clapp	Gibson	Pierce	
Clark	Gilbert	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Doran	Hough	Turnbull	
Earle	Jewell	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin		26

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 548 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1893 and 1894.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further considerationof the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Public health:

The committee on Public health, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 290 (file No. 197), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 186 of the public acts of 1867, entitled "An act to authorize dissection in certain cases for the advancement of science," approved March 27, 1867, as amended by act No. 113 of the public acts of 1871, act No. 138 of the public acts of 1875, act No. 16 of

the public acts of 1881, and act No. 83 of the public acts of 1885, the same being compiler's section 2284 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

MARDEN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Asylums for the insane:

The committee on Asylums for the insane, to whom was referred House bill No. 146 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patients' library, and for hall painting and renovating at the Eastern Michigan Asylum.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it be referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

MARDEN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion os Mr. Sabin,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

Mr. Doran, by unanimous consent, moved to take up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Which motion prevailed.

Senate bill No. 68 (file No. 18), entitled

A bill in relation to taxable transfers of property.

Pending third reading of which,

Mr. Jewell moved that the bill be laid on the table.

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Doran moved to amend the bill by striking out of line 19 of section 14 the words, "of decrees of the probate court," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "judgments and decrees of circuit courts in this state."

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Clapp moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 4, of section 1, the words "not exempt by law from taxation."

2. By striking out lines 20 and 21, of section 14, up to and including the word "use," in line 21.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Morrow then moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of line 2, of section 16, after the words "this act," the word "five," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "one;" also by striking out all after the word "per centum," up to and including the word "sums."

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Fox	Mugford	
Champion	French	Pascoe	
Clapp	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clark	Gilbert	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Doran	Hough	Turnbull	
Earle	Jewell	Weiss	24
	NAYS		0

Title agreed to.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Fleshiem to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 28, laws of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a game and fish warden, and to prescribe his powers and duties."

Senate bill No. 379 (file No. 244), entitled

A bill to amend sections 38, 39 and 40 of chapter 192 of compiled laws of 1871 (chapter 266 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan), being sections 7697, 7698 and 7699 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 501 (file No. 296), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act number 154 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the commencement of actions of tort against non-residents, individuals, joint contractors, partnerships and corporations carrying on business or owning property in this State," being sections 8025*a* and 8025*b* of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, so as to provide for the commencement of such actions against non-residents including foreign corporations carrying on business or owning property in this State or whose property shall be found in this State.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 548 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1893 and 1894.

Senate bill No. 146 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State board of fish commissioners, for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, and the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

Senate bill No. 91 (file No. 216), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 13 of an act, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the supreme court, pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution, approved February 16, 1857, as amended, so as to provide for the election of two additional justices of the supreme court, for the division of the supreme court into two sections and to provide for the selection of a chief justice, being sections 6382, 6384 and 6392 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to repeal section 1 of act No. 40 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to provide for the reorganization of the supreme court," being section 6401 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the committee on Judiciary.

IV.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 429 (file No. 236), entitled

A bill for the protection of fish and the regulation of fishing in the waters of this State.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and further recommend that the third reading of the bill be made the special order for tomorrow at 3 o'clock p. m.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill, and the same was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the fourth named bill, and the third reading of the bill was made the special order for tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Morrow asked and was granted leave to have printed in the Journal the following proposed amendment to the fourth above named bill.

Proposed amendment: Insert in line 1 of section 5 after the word "state," the following:

"Except in the waters bordering on the lands of Monroe county. Every person fishing for himself or for another as an employé shall while fishing in any of the waters of this State during the spawning season in each year, take the eggs from the female white fish and

trout while alive, and the milt from the male white fish and trout while alive, and after mixing them together in a pail or pan, as the fish commissioners may instruct, immediately cast them into the water from which such fish were taken; or the fish commissioners may take the same for artificial propogation, should they so desire. It shall be the duty of every person in charge of any fish tug or fish boat of any kind, engaged in the taking or catching of white fish or trout during the spawning season, to keep a daily record of the approximate amount in quarts of impregnated spawn taken and deposited every day in accordance with the provisions of this section, which record shall be open to the inspection of the game and fish warden or any deputy at any time, and to file with the board of State fish commissioners, on or before the 15th day of December in each year, a sworn statement of the approximate quantity of impregnated white fish and trout spawn deposited each day in accordance with the provisions of this section.

Mr. McLaughlin asked and obtained leave to have printed in the Journal the following proposed amendment to the bill:

Proposed amendment: Strike out all of section 5 after the word propogation in line 6 and insert the following:

And said State board of fish commissioners shall grant a permit, to any reputable fisherman to take and catch any kind of fish, who shall employ a suitable person to be designated by the said board, to superintend the obtaining, impregnating and planting of the spawn of such fish.

By unanimous consent Mr. Champion moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 509, entitled

A bill to provide for the sanitary condition of the State capitol building with reference to sewerage and water supply.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The bill was referred to the committee on Public buildings.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 83 (file No. 246), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patient's library, and for hall painting and renovating at the Eastern Michigan Asylum.

Pending third reading of which,

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Turnbull moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Doran and Pascoe.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Mr. Pascoe was excused from the operation of the call.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was despatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Doran at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Mr. Doran was admitted within the bar and took his seat.

Senate bill No. 303 (file No. 245), entitled

A bill to appropriate twenty-five thousand dollars to erect and equip a building for physical education and training at the State Normal School at Ypsilanti.

Pending third reading of which

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 303 (file No. 133), entitled

A bill prohibiting the transportation of fish outside of the State which are caught in any of the waters of the counties of Branch or St. Joseph.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senator select voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce	
Doran	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Hough	Steel	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Turnbull	
French	Mellen	Weiss	
Garvelink	Morrow		20

NAYS.

Mr. Crane 1

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 548 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1893 and 1894.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Garvelink	Morrow	
Clapp	Gibson	Mugford	
Clark	Gilbert	Pierce	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Doran	Hough	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin		26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Pierce, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 303 (file No. 245), entitled

A bill to appropriate $25,000 to erect and equip a building for physical education and training at the State Normal School at Ypsilanti.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time and the question being upon its passage,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Champion	Gibson	Mugford	
Clark	Gilbert	Pierce	
Doran	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Hough	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	21

NAYS.

Mr. Crane	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Mellen	
Fox			4

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 146 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State Board of Fish Commissioners for the year ending June 30, 1894, and the year ending June 30, 1895.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow	
Clapp	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Hopkins	Pierce	
Doran	Hough	Sabin	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Turnbull	
French	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Garvelink	Mellen		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 274 (file No. 291), entitled

A bill to provide a general law under which corporations may be formed to carry on institutions for the treatment of disease and for instruction therein and in hygiene.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Jewell	
Brundage	French	McLaughlin	
Clapp	Garvelink	Pierce	
Crane	Gibson	Sabin	

Mr. Doran	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Steel	
Earle	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Hough	Weiss	21
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to amend act number 28, laws of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a game and fish warden, and to prescribe his powers and duties."

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford	
Crane	Gilbert	Sabin	
Doran	Hopkins	Steel	
Earle	Hough	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
French	McLaughlin		20
	NAYS.		
Mr. Clapp	Mr. Morrow		2

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 379 (file No. 244), entitled

A bill to amend sections 38, 39 and 40 of chapter 192 of compiled laws of 1871 (chapter 266 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan), being sections 7697, 7698 and 7699 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clark	Hough	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Doran	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss	
Garvelink			22
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 51 (file No. 293), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 232 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of all manufactur-

ing companies except such as are contemplated by act number 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manufacture of salt and mercantile companies, or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations, as amended by act No. 170 of the public acts of 1889, being chapter 124 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, by adding thereto one new section to be known as section 38.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 190 (file No. 173), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 or act 182 of the laws of 1891, relative to the payment of a franchise fee by corporations.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 168, entitled

A bill to amend "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," being act No. 205 of the session laws of 1887, approved June 21, 1887, as amended by act No. 257 of the session laws of 1889, approved July 31, 1879, as amended by act No. 10 of the session laws of 1891, approved February 18, 1891.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The bill was ordered printed in the Journal, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

The following is the bill:

Senate Bill No. 168.

[Introduced by Mr. Steel.]

Reported favorably by the committee on Banks and corporations, referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

(Proposed amendment to title in brackets.)

A BILL to amend [sections ten and twenty-nine] "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," being act number two hundred and five, session laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, approved June twenty-first, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, as amended by act number two hundred and fifty-seven, session laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, approved July third, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, as amended by act number ten, session laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, approved February eighteen, eighteen hundred and ninety one.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That sections ten and twenty-nine of act number two hundred and five, session laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, approved June twenty-first, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows;

SEC. 10. A bank may amend its articles of association in any manner not inconsistent with the provisions of this act, at any time, by a vote of its stockholders representing two-thirds of the capital had at a meeting duly called for that purpose. A certificate of that fact shall be executed by its officers, including a majority of its directors, and filed as required for articles of incorporation; but no increase of capital stock shall be valid until the amount thereof has been subscribed and actually paid in; and no reduction shall be made to a less amount than is required in section one for capital, nor be valid or warrant the cancellation of stock certificates, or diminish the personal liability of stockholders until such reduction has been approved by the Commissioner of the Banking Department. Such approval must be based upon a finding by him that the security of existing creditors of the bank will not be impaired by the proposed reduction.

SEC. 29. Any bank combining the business of a commercial bank and a savings bank shall keep separate books of account for each kind of business: *Provided*, That all receipts, investments and transactions relating to each of said classes of business shall be governed by the provisions and restrictions herein specifically provided for the respective kinds of banks: *And provided further*, That all the investments relating to the savings department shall be kept entirely separate and apart from the other business of the bank, and that the fifteen per cent reserve required by the provisions of this act to be kept on the savings deposits shall be kept separate and distinct from the reserve required on the commercial deposits, and that such portion of said savings deposits as are on hand unloaned or deposited with other banks or reserve agents and the investments made with the funds deposited by savings depositors shall be held solely for the payment of the depositors of said funds.

Mr. Brundage, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the use of the Senate chamber be given to D. G. Crotty, Friday evening, May 19, for the purpose of delivering a lecture, subject, "Gen. Geo. B. McClellan and the Army of the Potomac." Senators and members of the House, and officers, together with their friends are respectfully invited to attend. A special invitation is extended to all old soldiers of the late war.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Barnard moved that when the Senate adjourn today it stand adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Fox moved that the Senate adjourn;

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Wednesday, May 17, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Mears, Sawyer and Wilkins.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

Leave of absence was granted to the absentees from today's session.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 233. By Mr. Clark: Communication from P. B. Loomis of Jackson, relative to sewage at Jackson Prison.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

The communication was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

Homewild, May 12, 1893.

Senator Clark:

DEAR SIR—You did well to call attention to the deficient prison sewerage. It is not the "bar" only which is created by the prison discharge at right angles to the course of the river, but also the filth deposits crowded in, forced down the sluggish stream at low water, deposited all along for miles. For this the State is responsible and has recognized its responsibility, as well as the need for action, by making a preliminary appropriation of swamp lands to clear the channel far as the Portage junction. This sewage business I gave careful attention to as chairman of the board of public works committee having it in charge. The state which makes laws for the preservation of the public health should not ignore responsibility and refuse to take action which these laws attach to all citizens.

Were the prison operated as a private or corporate institution no Senator or Representative would question the certainty of prompt redress by the county on application. The State alone, in the persons of

these legislators, defies and sets at naught its own, as well as common law, in the case; will run prison sewerage into the river here to bar its channel, to ooze and filter along the banks in hot summer days, at low water.

This has been bad enough in the past. With the probability of cholera, refusal to take action for redressing the horrible nuisance, involves fearful responsibility for those assuming it.

Yours truly,

P. B. LOOMIS.

Referred to committee on State Prison.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 373, entitled

A bill to amend certain sections of the local acts of 1887, the same being an act to incorporate the city of Adrian.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Adrian, in Lenawee county, and all acts amendatory thereof.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford
Champion	Gibson	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce
Crane	Hough	Sabin
Doran	McGinley	Steel
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss
Fox		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 273 (file N. 95), entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Detroit to acquire land outside of the limits of said city, for use as public parks, public grounds and boulevards, and to regulate and improve the same.

Respectfully report that theyhave had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 307, entitled

A bill to revise and amend certain parts and sections of the "Act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 1, sections 2 and 3 of chapter 2, sections 3, 5, 8, 10 and 15 of chapter 3, section 2, chapter 4; sections 3, 4 and 6 of chapter 5, section 6 of chapter 6, sections 3, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 48 and 54 of chapter 7; sections 1, 3, 4 and 7 of chapter 8; sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 14, 15, 17, 19, 22 and 25 of chapter 14; sections 6, 7 and 18 of chapter 15; sections 1, 2, 5 and 6 of chapter 16; sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14 and 35 of chapter 17; section 2 of chapter 21 of act number 390 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885, and the amendments thereto, and to repeal section 20 of chapter 16 of said act, and to add thereto two new sections to stand as section 9 of chapter 5, and section 11 of chapter 12 of said act.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford
Champion	Gibson	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce

Mr. Crane	Mr. Hough	Mr. Sabin	
Doran	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mellen		26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. French,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 278 (file No. 78), entitled

A bill to provide for the extension of the time of existence of corporations or associations organized under act number eighty-seven of acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1855, approved February 12, 1855, entitled "An act relating to burying grounds," and amendments thereto, the corporate term of existence of which has heretofore expired, or may hereafter expire by limitation, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations or associations.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and further recommend that the title of the bill be amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the extension of the time of existence of corporation or associations organized under act number eighty-seven of acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1855, approved February 12, 1855, entitled "An act relating to burying grounds," or under said act as amended, the corporate term of existence of which has heretofore expired, or may hereafter expire by limitation, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations or associations.

And ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

House bill No. 536 (file No. 288), entitled

A bill to provide for the placing of juries, while engaged in the trial of cases of murder, under the charge of a competent officer duly sworn as prescribed in this act, and to define the duties of certain officers in relation thereto, and to provide a penalty for any wilful violation teereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

House bill No. 671 (file No. 148), entitled

A bill to amend section 124 of chapter 178 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 99 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to amend section 124 of act No. 1 of the public acts of 1874, entitled 'An act to amend section 124 of an act entitled 'An act to amend chapter 93 of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled 'Of courts held by justices of the peace,' approved February 13, 1885, being section 5372 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the transfer of cases in justice's courts," being compiler's section No. 6937 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 146 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patients' library, and for hall painting and renovating at the Eastern Michigan Asylum.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 156 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the Industrial School for Boys for the years 1893 and 1894.

Senate bill No. 65 (file No. 62), entitled

A bill to authorize certain water supply companies, now or hereafter organized, to also operate electric plants in connection with their water works system.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 252, entitled

A bill to repeal section 213 of act No. 215 of the session laws of 1859, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Owosso," approved February 15 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. McLaughlin
Brundage	Garvelink	Mellen
Champion	Gibson	Morrow
Clapp	Gilbert	Mugford
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin
Crane	Hough	Steel
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss
Fox		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resloved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), that the Secretary of State be and is hereby instructed to print one edition of the Legislative manual for 1893 of ten thousand (10,000) copies, to be disposed of as the present Legislature may direct.

Which has been adopted by the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 12, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House relative to House bill No. 367 (file No. 151), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the grand, district and subordinate lodges of the loyal orange institution of the State of Michigan.

Which the Senate amended as follows:

By adding at the head of line 3 of section 1, the words, "*Provided*, That none but citizens of the United States shall be admitted as members of such institution, and that the objects and purposes thereof shall not be repugnant to the constitution of this State and of the United States,"

In which amendment the House non-concurred and upon which amendment the Senate insisted and asked for a committee of conference,

Now to inform the Senate that the House has granted such request and has appointed as such committee on the part of the House, Messrs. Bishop, Barkworth and McKinlay, to whom said bill has been referred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The President announced as such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Gibson, Clapp and Clark.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 198 (file No. 150), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Grosse Pointe Farms, in the county of Wayne, and for that purpose to detach certain territory from the village of Grosse Pointe.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By inserting in line 8 of section 3 the words "John Neff."

2. By striking out of lines 8 and 9 of section 8 the words "same manner as the other territory of said" and insert in lieu thereof the words, "village of."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin
Earle	Hough	Steel
Fleshiem	Jewell	Turnbull
Fox	McGinley	Weiss
French	McLaughlin	23

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 655 (file No. 202), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of Jackson county and the Jackson county agricultural society to sell certain lands and to invest the proceeds of such sale in the purchase of other lands and in the improvements thereof.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Agricultural interests.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 313 (file No. 323), entitled

A bill for the incorporation of associations known as young woman's christian associations.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Religious and benevolent societies.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 218 (file No. 324), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of act No. 39 of the session laws of 1889, approved April 4, 1889, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purchase and improvement of grounds to be occupied for summer homes, for camp meetings, for meetings and assemblies of associations and societies, organized for intellecual and scientfic culture and for the promotion of the cause of religion and morality, or for any or all of said purposes," being section 3983*e* 4, of Howell's annotated statutes, volume 3.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 191 (file No. 319), entitled

A bill to prohibit the adulteration of maple sugar, maple molasses and maple syrup.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Public health.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 879, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Davidson, in the county of Genesee, to borrow money for the purpose of making improvements in said village.

Which the Senate amended as follows:

1. By striking out of line 5 of section 1 the figures "$15,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten hundred dollars."

2. By striking out of line 1 of section 3 the words "a majority" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two-thirds."

In which amendments the House non-concurred and upon which amendments the Senate insisted and asked for a committee of conference.

And now to inform the Senate that the House has granted such request and has appointed as such committee on the part of the House Messrs. Cartwright, Covell and Kline.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The President announced as such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Brundage, Crane and Clapp.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 414 (file No. 200), entitled

A bill providing that all persons employing female help in stores shall provide seats for the same when not actively employed.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By striking out of lines 4, 5 and 6 of section 2 the words "or shall absolutely or arbitrarily refuse such female helper or employé the privilege of sitting or resting when they may do so without prejudice to the interest of such employer."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. McLaughlin	
Champion	Garvelink	Mellen	
Clapp	Gibson	Mugford	
Clark	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Hough	Steel	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fox	McGinley	Weiss	24

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Brundage moved that a respectful message be sent to the House, asking the return to the Senate of

Senate substitute for House bill No. 53 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purposes of constructing, owning,

controlling and leasing buildings for hotels, elevators or public halls," being act No. 70 of the public acts of 1887, approved April 15, 1887; and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 13.

Which motion prevailed.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 501 (file No. 296), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 154 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the commencement of actions of tort against non-residents, individuals, joint contractors, partnerships and corporations carrying on business or owning property in this State," being sections 8025*a* and 8025*b* of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, so as to provide for the commencement of such actions against non-residents including foreign corporations carrying on business or owning property in this State or whose property shall be found in this State.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clark	Hough	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
French	McLaughlin		20

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the Upper Peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Fox moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senator reported absent without leave: Mr. Fleshiem.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after Mr. Fleshiem.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. McLaughlin, by unanimous consent, moved to amend the bill by striking out in line 2, section 12, the words "the warden of," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "said prison."

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Clark moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 5 of section 13 the words "belonging to the prison."

2. By striking out of line 8 of section 18 the words "at the burial of each convict."

3. By striking out of line 3 of section 26 the word "and" before the word "all."

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Fox moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By inserting at the end of section 23 the following: "It shall be the duty of the board of control of each of said prisons to make and adopt all such general rules of government and discipline of the prison as they may deem expedient, and from time to time to change and amend the same, as circumstances may require."

2. By striking out entire section 32 of the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SEC. 32. Any person supplying any such convict with weapons, money, clothing, disguises, or any implement or thing, with the intent to assist him in escaping from custody, or who shall in any way assist such convict in his endeavor to escape, shall upon conviction be deemed guilty of a felony, and be liable to imprisonment in any of said prisons for a period not to exceed five years: *Provided, however*, That if the convict so assisted is being imprisoned for life, then and in such case, the person so assisting in such escape may be imprisoned for a period not to exceed twenty years: *And provided further*, That this section shall apply to every effort to assist a convict to escape by furnishing weapons, money, clothing, disguises, or in any other manner to any convict, whether he is within the walls of the prison or is placed at work outside of the prison walls by direction of either the board or the warden.

If any warden, deputy warden, guard, keeper or other officer shall, through negligence, or by violating any of the rules of such prison or any of the provisions of this act, suffer any prisoner confined in any of such prisons to escape, he shall on conviction be punished by fine not exceeding $1,000, or by imprisonment in any of such prisons for a period not to exceed two years, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

If any warden, deputy warden, guard, keeper or other officer shall voluntary suffer any convict being imprisoned in any of such prisons to escape, he shall suffer the like punishment and penalties as the convict so suffered to escape was sentenced to suffer.

3. By striking out of lines 1 and 2 of section 43 the words, "The keepers shall preserve proper discipline among the convicts under their charge and," and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"It shall be the duty of guards, keepers and other employés employed by the State at all times to be ready to attend to any duty required of them by the warden or deputy warden. The several keepers and guards are hereby expressly charged with all the duties and responsibilities of jailors.

"It shall be the duties of guards, keepers and other employés employed by the State to faithfully enforce all the rules and regulations of the board of control relative to their respective duties.

"Any guard, keeper or other employé employed by the State, who shall knowingly violate any of the rules or regulations adopted by such board of control, or who shall violate any of the provisions of this act, or neglect to perform the duties required of him by the rules and regulations of the prison or by the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor,

and on conviction thereof may be punished by a fine not exceeding $1,000, or by imprisonment in any of said prisons for a period not exceeding two years, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court,"

4. By striking out of lines 2 and 3 of section 54 the words "and whoever shall violate the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "or deliver to any convict any poison, implement or other thing which may be used to injure such convict or any person, or in assisting them to escape. Any person who shall violate the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be subject to the penalty for a misdemeanor provided for in this act."

5. By inserting in line 1 of section 45 after the word "liquor" the words "drug, medicine or poison."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the upper peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the goveanment and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith.

Having been read a third time and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Morrow moved to amend the bill by striking out section 37, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Whenever a convict in any of the prisons of this State shall be employed in the production of articles to be sold in the markets of this, or other states of the United States, there shall be placed to the credit of each convict thus employed, on books kept for that purpose, a wage equal to 60 per cent of the average wages paid to persons employed in like industries, not employed in prisons. In computing the cost of articles thus produced, the wage herein provided for as a credit to the convict, shall be taken into account in such computation. From the wage thus accredited to a convict there shall be deducted the cost of maintenance of the convict, the balance, if any, to be paid to the family of the convict, the person, or persons, injured by the crime for which he was convicted, or to the prisoner after his release from prison at such times and in such sums as the board may deem for the best interests of the prisoner and State."

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Gibson moved to amend the bill by striking out entire section 37.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the bill by striking out entire section 35.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 429 (file No. 236), entitled

A bill for the protection of fish and the regulation of fishing in the waters of this State.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The special order was deferred until 4 o'clock.

The question then being on the passage of

Senate bill No. 26 (file 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the upper peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith.

Mr. Sabin moved the previous question.

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being, "Shall the main question now be put?"

The same was not ordered, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. McLaughlin	
Champion	Hopkins	Morrow	
Clark	Hough	Mugford	
Doran			10

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe	
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull	
Earle	Mears	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Mellen		17

Mr. Turnbull moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators reported absent without leave.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 36 all after the word "State" in line 4 of said section.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the bill by striking out entire section 56 and inserting in lieu thereof the following to stand as section 56:

SEC. 56. No persons, except the immediate relatives or friends of convicts confined in any prison, shall be admitted to said prisons, except as provided in section 55 of this act.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Steel moved to amend the bill by striking out entire section 5, and inserting in lieu thereof the following to stand as section 5:

SEC. 5. The Governor shall, after the passage of this act, appoint a warden for each prison and shall have power thereafter to remove any warden for cause, upon charges made in writing and sustained by the board of control.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Clapp moved to amend the bill by striking out of lines 3 and 4 of section 2 the words "not more than two of whom shall be of the same political party."

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Clapp moved to amend the bill by striking out all of section 69 up to and including the word "and" in line 4 of said section.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

After some time spent in debate thereon,

Mr. Fox moved the previous question.

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being "Shall the main question now be put?"

The same was not ordered.

The question then being on the passage of the bill.

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the bill by striking out entire section 33.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Morrow then moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Fox moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate amended the bill by striking out of line 2, of section 12, the words "the warden of" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "said prison."

Which motion prevailed.

The question then being on the motion to so amend the bill.

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. Sabin moved the previous question.

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being "Shall the main question now be put?"

The same was ordered.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Clapp	Gibson	Pierce	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French	Mears		20

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Doran	Mr. Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hough	Turnbull	
Clark	Mellen		11

Pending the question on agreeing to the title of the bill,
On motion of Mr. Sabin,
The bill was laid on the table.
The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the consideration of
Senate bill No. 429 (file No. 236), entitled
A bill for the protection of fish and the regulation of fishing in the waters of this State.

The bill was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

By striking out all of section 5 after the word "State" in line 1 of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Except in the waters bordering on the lands of Monroe county. Every person fishing for himself or for another as an employé shall while fishing in any of the waters of this State during the spawning season in each year, take the eggs from the female whitefish and trout while alive, and the milt from the male whitefish and trout while alive, and after mixing them together in a pail or pan, as the fish commissioners may instruct, immediately cast them into the water from which such fish were taken; or the fish commissioners may take the same for artificial propagation, should they so desire. It shall be the duty of every person in charge of any fish tug or fish boat of any kind, engaged in the taking or catching of whitefish or trout during the spawning season, to keep a daily record of the approximate amount in quarts of impregnated spawn taken and deposited every day in accordance with the provisions of this section, which record shall be open to the inspection of the game and fish warden or any deputy at any time, and to file with the board of State fish commissioners, on or before the 15th day of December in each year, a sworn statement of the approximate quantity of impregnated whitefish and trout spawn deposited each day in accordance with the provisions of this section.

Mr. Turnbull demanded a division of the question and the question then being on inserting in said section 1 after the word "State" the words "except in the waters bordering on the lands of Monroe county."

Mr. McGinley moved to amend the amendment by striking out the word "county" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Sanilac and Huron counties."

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then recurring on the motion to amend by inserting the words.

The motion did not prevail.

The question then being on striking out all of section 5 after the word "State" in line 1 of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Every person fishing for himself or for another as an employé shall while fishing in any of the waters of this State during the spawning

season in each year, take the eggs from the female whitefish and trout while alive, and the milt from the male whitefish and trout while alive, and after mixing them together in a pail or pan, as the fish commissioners may instruct, immediately cast them into the water from which such fish were taken; or the fish commissioners may take the same for artificial propagation, should they so desire. It shall be the duty of every person in charge of any fish tug or fish boat of any kind, engaged in the taking or catching of whitefish or trout during the spawning season, to keep a daily record of the approximate amount in quarts of impregnated spawn taken and deposited every day in accordance with the provisions of this section, which record shall be open to the inspection of the game and fish warden or any deputy at any time, and to file with the board of State fish commissioners, on or before the 15th day of December in each year, a sworn statement of the approximate quantity of impregnated whitefish and trout spawn deposited each day in accordance with the provisions of this section."

Mr. Turnbull demanded the yeas and nays thereon, and the motion then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Pierce	
Clark	Mears	Sabin	
Crane	Mellen	Turnbull	
Earle	Morrow	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Pascoe	Wilkins	
Fox			16

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. McLaughlin	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Doran	Jewell	Steel	
Garvelink			10

And the bill was so amended.

Mr. McGinley moved to amend the bill by striking out entire section 5.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Turnbull moved to amend the bill by adding thereto a new section to stand as section 5 and to read as follows:

"SECTION 5. Every person fishing for himself or for another as an employé shall while fishing in any of the waters of this State during the spawning season in each year, take the eggs from the female whitefish and trout while alive, and the milt from the male whitefish and trout while alive, and after mixing them together in a pail or pan, as the fish commissioners may instruct, immediately cast them into the water from which such fish were taken; or the fish commissioners may take the same for artificial propagation, should they so desire. It shall be the duty of every person in charge of any fish tug or fish boat of any kind, engaged in the taking or catching of whitefish or trout during the spawning season, to keep a daily record of the approximate amount in quarts of impregnated spawn taken and deposited every day in accordance with the provisions of this section, which record shall be open to the inspection of the game and fish warden or any deputy at any time, and to file with the board of State fish commissioners, on or before the 15th day of December in each year, a

sworn statement of the approximate quantity of impregnated whitefish and trout spawn deposited each day in accordance with the provisions of this section."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Jewell moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 3 of section 3, the word "perch," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "pickerel."

2. By striking out of line 5 of section 3, the word "perch," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "pickerel."

3. By striking out of line 3 of section 4, the word "perch," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "pickerel."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Crane	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Mellen		26

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Pierce moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 159 (file No. 235), entitled

A bill to create the 34th judicial circuit and provide for the holding of courts therein.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Doran	Hough	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins	20
Fox	Mears		

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Jewell	
Clark			4

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sabin moved to take from the table.

House bill No. 240 (file No. 155), entitled

A bill to provide for the inspection of illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils, and to repeal act No. 127, laws of 1879, as amended by act No. 49 of the laws of 1881, act No. 20 of the laws of 1881, and act No. 71 laws of 1891.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sabin moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused on yesterday to order the bill to take effect July 1, 1893.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the motion that the bill be ordered to take effect July 1, 1893.

The motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor.

Mr. Clark gave notice that within the time limited for reconsideration he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate ordered the above named bill to take effect July 1, 1893.

Mr. Jewell moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 433, entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of any and every person, company, association or corporation, whether located within or without this State, that owns or is interested in and engaged in running sleeping cars, or any kind of passenger, freight or stock cars over or upon any railroad wholly or partly within this State, which cars are not the sole and exclusive property of the owners or lessees of such railroad, and for the occupancy or use of which cars charges are made additional to the ordinary fares or tolls charged by the owners or lessees of such railroad, and to prescribe penalties and means to enforce the provisions of this act, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with said provisions.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The bill was referred to the special committee on Railroad taxation.

Mr. Jewell offered a proposed substitute for the above named bill and asked that the same be printed for the use of the special committee on Railroad taxation,

Which request was granted.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 641 (file No. 272), entitled

A bill to establish a public hospital in the city of Detroit.

In accordance with the request of the Senate therefor.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Weiss moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 310, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 4 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act, entitled 'An act relative to free schools in the city of Grand Rapids,'" approved March 15, 1871, which said revision was approved May 9, 1877, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 14), entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24, 1869, as amended by act No. 397 of the acts of 1891, and to repeal section 15 of said act; approved February 24, 1869, and to add one new section to said act to stand as section 26.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 437 (file No. 217), entitled

A bill to define what shall constitute fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations; to provide for their incorporation and the regulation of their business, and for the punishment for violation of the provisions of the act of their incorporation, and to repeal all existing acts inconsistent therewith

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

1. By adding to the end of section 1 the words "except as provided by this act."

Provided further, That when the laws of any such association already provides that an affianced wife, or any person who is dependent upon the member for maintenance (food, clothing, lodging or education), may be made the beneficiary. Payment of death benefits may be made to such beneficiaries, but no certificate of membership shall be made payable to, nor any death benefit be paid to an affianced wife, or to any beneficiary by reason of dependency as hereinbefore provided, unless satisfactory proof of such affianced relation or dependency shall have been filed with and accepted by the executive officer of such association."

2. By striking out of section 5 the words added by the Senate at the end of line 40, viz.: "and if required, the names of all the members belonging thereto."

3. By inserting in line 1, of section 22, after the work "any," the words "grand or."

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. McGinley.

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	Hopkins	Pascoe
Clapp	Hough	Pierce
Crane	McGinley	Sabin
Doran	McLaughlin	Steel
Earle	Mears	Turnbull
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss
Fox	Morrow	Wilkins
Garvelink		25

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 84, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and setting, for a water tower, for electric lighting, for new engines and setting, and for a physician's cottage, at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and pending its reference to a committee

Mr. Clapp, by unanimous consent, moved that Senate rule No. 26 be suspended, and that the above named bill be placed on its immediate passage,

Which motion prevailed, unanimous consent being given thereof.

Pending third reading of the bill,

Mr. Barnard moved that the bill be referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations,

Which motion did not prevailed,

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clark	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	McGinley	Steel	
Earle	Mears	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss	
French	Morrow	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Crane	Mr. Jewell	
Brundage	Fox	Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink		8

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Clapp moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

"A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and setting, for a water tower, for electric lighting and for new engines and setting, at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 53, entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purposes of constructing, owning, controlling and leasing buildings for hotels, elevators or public halls," being act No. 70 of the public acts of 1887, approved April 15, 1887, and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 13,

Together with the Senate substitute therefor having the same title in accordance with the request therefor, this day received.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Brundage moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill as substituted,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The vote by which the Senate concurred in the adoption of the Senate substitute for the bill was reconsidered.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the substitute,

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The bill was referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 310 (file No. 188), entitled

A bill to promote and encourage the agricultural development of lands in the upper peninsula, to authorize the formation of corporations for acquiring, holding, leasing and selling real estate for agricultural purposes and for the erection of buildings and for the borrowing and loaning of money for all purposes connected with the development of said lands,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Agricultural interests.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following joint resolution:

Senate joint resolution No. 15, entitled

A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate, examine, settle and pay any claim found to be due the Presque Isle lumber company, of Hammonds Bay, Presque Isle county, Michigan, against the State of Michigan for damages or compensation arising from the seizure by the trespass agents of the State of Michigan of a certain lot of cedar cut by it on portions of the northeast quarter of section 35 north, range 2 east, claimed by the said trespass agents to have been a trespass upon the State lands,

Which the House amended as follows:

By striking from the end of the resolution the words "but not to exceed seven hundred dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "*Provided*, That nothing shall be allowed beyond the amount of property or money actually received or appropriated by the State."

In which the Senate non-concurred.

And now to inform the Senate that the House insists and asks for a committee of Conference.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The request of the House for a committee of Conference was granted.

The President announced as such committee on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Mears, Barnard and Turnbull.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 373, entitled

A bill to amend the charter of the city of Adrian, in Lenawee county,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

1. By striking out of line 3 of section 250 the words "it necessary" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the proposed improvement necessary and that it is necessary."

2. By striking out of line 3 of section 250 the word "same" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "said lands."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 4, 99, 109, 181, 182, 187, 194, 215, 218, 226, 230, 242, 243, 250, 251 and 287 of "An act to reincorporate the city of Adrian," approved March 8, 1887.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow
Burt	Gibson	Mugford
Champion	Gilbert	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce
Clark	Hough	Steel
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull
Doran	McGinley	Weiss
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins
Fleshiem	Mears	29

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The question then being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title of the bill.

The Senate concurred.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 255 (file No. 185), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a dairy and food commissioner, and to define his powers and duties and fix his compensation,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Agricultural interests.

The committee of conference, to whom was referred

House bill No. 879, entitled

A bill to authorize the village of Davison, in the county of Genesee, to borrow money for the purpose of making public improvements in said village,

Which the Senate amended as follows:

1. By striking out of line 5, of section 1, the figures "$15,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten thousand dollars."

2. By striking out of line 1, of section 3, the words "a majority," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two-thirds."

In which said amendments the House non-concurred, whereupon the Senate insisted upon its said amendments, and asked for a committee of conference, which was granted,

Respectfully report that they have had under consideration the matter of disagreement existing between the two houses relative to said bill, and recommend

First, That as to the first said amendment the House concur.

Second, That as to the second said amendment the Senate recede.

And the conference committee respectfully request that both houses concur in the recommendations herein contained, and that the bill as so amended be concurred in by both houses.

C. L. BRUNDAGE,
JESSE D. CRANE,
SCHUYLER CHAMPION,
Members of Committee on part of Senate.
J. F. CARTWRIGHT,
GEO. G. COVELL,
CHAS. H. KLINE,
Members of Committee on part of House.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report of the committee of conference.

On motion of Mr Brundage,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefore, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mellen	
Champion	Gibson	Mugford	
Clapp	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Doran	Hough	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	27

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By unanimous consent, the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Public buildings:

The committee on Public buildings, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 509, entitled

A bill making an apropriation for improving the sanitary condition of the State capitol,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The bill was referrred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appriations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 55, entitled

A bill to establish the Central Michigan State Normal School at Mount Pleasant, Michigan, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Senator Steel dissenting.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 295, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 290 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of St. Johns," and the acts amendatory thereto,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 290 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of St. Johns," and the acts amendatory thereto,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gilbert	Mugford
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe
Clapp	Hough	Pierce
Clark	Jewell	Sabin
Crane	McGinley	Steel
Doran	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Fox	Mears	Weiss
French	Mellen	Wilkins
Garvelink		28

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 351, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 18, 22, 47 and 48 of chapter 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Clark moved that the bill be laid on the table,

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Crane	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Doran	Hough	Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Sabin	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Mellen		26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

By the committee on Supplies and expenditures:

The committee on Supplies and expenditures, to whom was referred the following account:

Geo. H. Bussey, expenses $25 20

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate recommending that the account be allowed, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and adopted.

By the committee on Military affairs:

The committee on Military affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 243, entitled

A bill to authorize and provide for the enrollment, organization, equipment, maintenance and discipline of the naval militia of this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for the enrollment, organization, equipment, maintenance and discipline of the naval militia of the State,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. MEARS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 205 (file No. 11C), entitled

A bill to amend section 19 of act No. 79, of the laws of 1873, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a Commissioner of Railroads, and define his powers and duties, and fix his compensation," approved April 10, 1873, being compiler's section 3303 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 358 (file No. 117), entitled

A bill to amend sections twenty, twenty-one and twenty-two of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, the same being sections 3334, 3335 and 3336, of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 270, entitled

A bill to regulate the crossing of railroad tracks by lines of train railway, electric and street railway lines and tracks,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to regulate the crossing of roads, streets and tracks crossed and intersected by steam train, electric, cable and street railway companies or corporations in this State,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was ordered printed in the Journal, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

The following is the bill:

Senate bill No. 270.

[Original introduced by Mr. Crane.]

Substitute recommended by committee on railroads. Ordered printed in the Journal, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

A BILL to regulate the crossing of roads, streets and tracks crossed or intersected by the tracks of steam, tram, electric, cable and street railway companies or corporations in this State.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact,* That the Commissioner of Railroads of this State shall, whenever he may deem it necessary to the protection of life, prevention of accident, delay, or the more equal and safe running of the train or trains, car or coaches of any steam, tram, electric, cable or street railways run or operated in or under the laws of this State, or he may, upon the petition of twelve freeholders owning land or premises fronting, adjoining or abutting upon the track or tracks of any such railway company or corporations, prescribe and require at the crossing or intersection of the track or tracks of any such company or corporation a system or means of or any device or devices for signaling the approach, in either direction, of or stopping any train or trains, car or coaches of any such company or corporation before the same shall cross or intersect each other. Said Commissioner of Railways shall notify such company or corporation to provide within sixty days following the date of his notice such signaling or stopping system, means, device or devices as in his judgment may be sufficient to carry out the provisions of this act. If at the expiration of said sixty days the company or corporation so notified shall neglect, refuse, or fail to comply with the requirements of said Com-

missioner such company shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction before any court of competent jurisdiction shall be fined a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars nor less than fifty dollars.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 109 (file No. 37), entitled

A bill to amend recited section 48, of act No. 150, of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to amend section 46, of act number 198 of the session laws of 1873 entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,' approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act number 174, of the public acts of 1883, and to add two new sections to said act to stand as sections 47 and 48,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the special committee on Railroad taxation:

The special committee on Raiload taxation, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 193, entitled

A bill to bring the Michigan Central Railroad Company and the railroad and property and business now owned or controlled by said company in this State, within the scope and operation, in all respects, of the general ralroad laws of this State, and to repeal all acts inconsistent with this act, and to designate a board to adjust any claim for damages which may be made against this State on account of the repeal aforesaid,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to repeal section 32, and to amend section 33 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central Railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company," approved March 28, 1846,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed in the Journal, referred to the committe of the whole and placed on the general order.

The following is the bill:

Senate bill No. 193.

[Original introduced by Mr. Jewell.]

Substitute recommended by the special committee on Railroad taxation; ordered printed in the Journal, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

A BILL to repeal section 32 and to amend section 33 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central Railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company," approved March 28, 1846.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 32 of an act entitled 'An act to authorize the sale of the Central Railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company," approved March 28, 1846, be and the same is hereby repealed; and that section 33 of said act be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 33. The said company shall, on or before the first day of July in each year, pay to the State Treasurer, on the statement of the Auditor General, a specific tax upon the property and business of such railroad corporation operated within the State, which tax shall be computed in the following manner, viz.: Upon all such gross income not exceeding $2,000 per mile of road actually operated within the State, 2 per cent of such gross income; upon such gross income in excess of $2,000 and not exceeding $4,000 per mile, 2½ per cent thereof; upon all such gross income in excess of $4,000 and not exceeding $6,000 per mile, 3 per cent thereof; and upon all such gross income in excess of $6,000 per mile and not in excess of $8,000 per mile, 3½ per cent thereof; and upon all such gross income, in excess of $8,000 per mile of road operated, 4 per cent thereof.

Prima facie the gross income of said company for the purpose of taxation hereunder shall be such portion of its gross income derived from the operation of its entire road as the length of its operated portion of such road lying within this State bears to the whole length of the road operated by such company: *Provided*, That if said company shall claim that its income derived from the operation of its road within this State is a less proportion than the miles of road operated in this State bear to the entire mileage of its road, the question of the amount of its taxable income shall be determined by the State Board of Railroad Crossings, so-called, consisting of the Commissioner of Railroads, Secretary of State and Attorney General upon application to said board in that behalf by said railroad company, and the determination of said board shall be conclusive; and in like manner, if it shall be claimed by the State that the proportion of the income of said company in this State exceeds the proportion of miles of said company within this State to the entire road of such company, the question of such income shall be determined by said board upon reasonable notice given to said railroad company of the claim of the State in that behalf, and the time when and place where said board will consider the same, and the determination of the said board shall be conclusive.

The taxes so paid shall be in lieu of all other taxes upon the property of said company, except such real estate as is owned and can be conveyed by such corporation under the laws of this State, and not actually occupied in the exercise of its franchises, and not necessary, or in use in the proper operation of its road, but such real estate so excepted shall be liable to taxation in the same manner, and for the same purposes and to the same extent, and subject to the same conditions and limitations as to the collection and return of taxes thereon as is other real estate in the several townships or municipalities within which the same may be situated.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force upon the acceptance thereof by the said company and the filing of such acceptance in the office of the Secretary of State.

Mr. Mugford, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

House bill No. 708, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Ellsworth, Lake county and to organize therefrom the township of Newkirk.

On motion of Mr. Mugford,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	French	Mugford
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe
Clapp	Gilbert	Pierce
Clark	Hough	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Steel
Doran	McGinley	Weiss
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins
Fleshiem	Mellen	26

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mugford,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take effect March 20, 1894.

Mr. Clapp by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a respectful message be sent to the Governor requesting the return to the Senate of

Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 11), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and settings, for a water tower, for electric lighting, for new engines and settings, and for a physician's cottage at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo,

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Gilbert moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Thursday, May 18, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Doran.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

Leave of absence was granted to the absentee from today's session.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred House bill No. 429 (file No. 258), entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation for the preparation, publication and distribution of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the Michigan superintendents of the poor for the years 1892 and 1894,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the eneral order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 16, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 456, entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of act number 349 of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Fremont, in the county of Newaygo," approved April 23, 1875.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 60 (file No. 311), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 79 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to authorize the judges of probate of certain counties to appoint a register, and prescribing his duties and compensation" as amended by subsequent acts amendatory thereof, being section 535 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 202, entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Myers automatic ballot machine or any other ballot machine of similar construction and principle, in all township, village or city elections held in this State.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By inserting at the beginning of the bill an enacting section as follows:

"SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That."

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Sabin, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table.

Senate bill No. 137 (file No. 64), entitled

A bill to provide for the government, management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Sabin moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

The title of the bill was then agreed to.

Mr. Sabin moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect,

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Sabin then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer
Earle	McGinley	Steel
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fox	Mears	Wilkins
French		

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Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	9

Mr. Sabin move to take from the table.

House No. 774 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, supervision and government of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Sabin then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	9

And the bill was taken from the table.

The question then being on agreeing to the title of the bill,

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Sabin then moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect.

On which motion Mr. Clark demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Sabin then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Turnbull	
Clark	Mellen		8

Mr. Burt gave notice that within the time limited for reconsideration, he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate ordered

Senate bill No. 137 (file No. 64), entitled

A bill to provide for the government, management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

And

House bill No. 774 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, supervision and government of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

To take immediate effect.

Mr. Sabin moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate today ordered

Senate bill No. 137 (file No. 64), entitled

A bill to provide for the government, management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

To take immediate effect.

Pending which,

Mr. Barnard moved that the motion of Mr. Sabin be laid on the table and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion of Mr. Barnard then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Jewell	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	
Champion	Hough	Turnbull	
Clark	Mellen		8

And the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Mr. Sabin moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate ordered

House bill No. 774 (file No. 267), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance, supervision and government of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

To take immediate effect.

Pending which

Mr. Barnard moved to lay the motion of Mr. Sabin on the table

On which motion,

Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Barnard then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer
Earle	McGinley	Steel

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Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. McLaughlin	Mr. Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	
Champion	Mellen	Turnbull	
Clark			7

And the motion to reconsider the vote by which the Senate ordered the bill to take immediate effect was laid on the table.

Mr. Sabin moved to take from the table

House bill No. 796 (file No. 157), entitled

A bill to provide for the government of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane and the inmates therein, and to repeal act 190, laws of 1883, and all acts amendatory thereto, and all of that portion of act 140, laws of 1891, which conflicts with this act, being an act entitled "An act to provide for a State board of inspectors who shall perform the duties now performed by the advisory board in matters of pardons and who shall have the complete management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia, the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform School for Boys at Lansing and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to abolish all existing boards and to annul all existing appointments.

Which motion prevailed

Mr. Sabin moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays,

The motion of Mr. Sabin then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	9

And the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sabin moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate ordered the above named bill to take immediate effect.

Mr. Barnard moved that the motion of Mr. Sabin be laid on the table.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Barnard then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark			7

And the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Mr. Sabin moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate on yesterday ordered

House bill No. 240 (file No. 155), entitled

A bill to provide for the inspection of illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils, and to repeal act No. 127, laws of 1879, as amended by act No. 49 of the laws of 1881, act No. 20 of the laws of 1881. and act No. 71 laws of 1891.

To take effect July 1, 1893.

Mr. Barnard moved to lay the motion of Mr. Sabin on the table.

Which motion prevailed

And the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Mr. Barnard moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

House joint resolution No. 29 (file No. 9), entitled

Joint resolution for submitting to the people an amendment to section 5 of article 7 of the constitution of this State, relative to the residence of inmates maintained at public expense at asylums and other public institutions by adding a proviso relative to soldiers who reside at the Soldiers' Home.

Mr. Morrow moved to lay the motion on the table and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion of Mr. Morrow then did not prevail,

A majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	9

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	21

The motion of Mr. Barnard to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of the above named joint resolution then prevailed.

Mr. Barnard then moved that the rules be suspended and that the joint resolution be put upon its immediate passage.

Pending which,

Mr. Burt moved that the joint resolution be re-referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order, and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion of Mr. Burt then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	9

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr Pascoe	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	21

The motion of Mr. Barnard that the rules be suspended and the joint resolution put upon its immediate passage, then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

The joint resolution was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Brundage moved the previous question.

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being, "Shall the main question now be put?"

Mr. Clark demanded the yeas and nays.

The previous question was then not ordered, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	McGinley	Sabin	
Crane			7

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hopkins	Mugford	
Clapp	Hough	Turnbull	
Clark	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Garvelink	Mears	Wilkins	
Gibson	Mellen		17

The question then being on the passage of the joint resolution,

Mr. Barnard moved that the joint resolution be laid on the table.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage.	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	McGinley	Turnbull	9

And the joint resolution was laid on the table.

Mr. Sabin moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the upper peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal act 213, laws of 1875; also act 176, laws of 1877, being chapters 340 and 341 of Howell's annotated statutes, and all laws amendatory thereof; also act 258, laws of 1887; also act 140, laws of 1891, approved June 17, 1891, and all acts inconsistent therewith.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on agreeing to the title of the bill,

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Sabin moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gilbert	Mr Morrow	
Clark	Mellen	Mugford	6

And the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Pierce moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then read a third time and, pending the taking of the voto on the passage thereof,

Mr. Pierce moved to amend the bill by striking out lines 17, 18, 19 and 20 of section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Fourth, The fourth district shall consist of the counties of Eaton, Calhoun, Kalamazoo, Branch and Hillsdale.

Fifth, The fifth district shall consist of the counties of Allegan, Van Buren, Barry, Berrien, Cass and St. Joseph.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill, as amended, was then passed, a majority of all the Senators-elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr Gibson	Mr. Pascoe	
Crane	Hopkins	Pierce	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Sabin	
Fox	McGinley	Sawyer	
French	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Garvelink	Mears	Wilkins	18

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Clark	Mr. Hough	
Brundage	Doran	Steel	
Burt	Earle	Turnbull	
Champion	Gilbert		11

Title agreed to.

Mr. Weiss moved to take from the table

Senate joint resolution bill No. 3 (file No. 1), entitled

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 3 of article 4, of the constitution of the State of Michigan, relative to the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State.

Which motion prevailed

The question being on the passage of the joint resolution,

Mr. Weiss moved to amend the same as follows:

By striking out lines 17, 18 and 19 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"At the next general election to be held on Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November in the year 1894, and the Secretary of State is hereby required to give notice of the same to the sheriffs of the several counties of this State at least twenty days prior to."

Which motion prevailed.

And the joint resolution was so amended.

Mr. Clark moved to amend the joint resolution by striking out of line 24 the word "deceptions."

Which motion prevailed

And the joint resolution was so amended.

The question then being on the passage of the joint resolution,

Pending debate thereon,

Mr. Fox made the point of order that Mr. Burt by applying the term "villiany" to action taken by the Senate, was not in order, whereupon the President ruled the point of order well taken and Mr. Burt appealed from the decision of the chair.

The question then being "Shall the decision of the chair stand as the judgment of the Senate?"

Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays and the chair was sustained, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Clark	Hough	Mugford	
Doran			7

The question being on the passage of the joint resolution,

The joint resolution was then passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	
Clark	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Morrow		8

Title and preamble agreed to.

The following is the joint resolution:

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section three of article four of the constitution of the State of Michigan, relative to the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, That an amendment to section three, of article four, of the constitution of the State of Michigan relative to the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State, be and hereby is proposed to read as follows:

SEC. 3. The House of Representatives shall consist of * * * one hundred members. Representatives shall be chosen for two years and by single districts. Each representative district shall contain, as nearly as may be, an equal number of inhabitants, exclusive of persons of Indian descent, who are not civilized, or are members of any tribe, and shall consist of convenient and contiguous territory; but no township or city shall be divided in the formation of a representative district [except such township or city shall be equitably entitled to two or more represetatives.] * * * * Each county [now or] hereafter organized shall be

entitled to a separate representative, when it has attained a population equal to a moiety of the ratio of representation. In every county entitled to more than one representative, the board of supervisors shall assemble at such time and place as the Legislature shall prescribe, and divide the same into representative districts, equal to the number of representatives to which such county is entitled by law, and shall cause to be filed in the offices of the Secretary of State and clerk of such county, a description of such representative districts, specifying the number of each district, and the population thereof, according to the last preceding enumeration.

Be it further resolved, That said amendment shall be submitted to the people of this State at the next general election, to be held on Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and the Secretary of State is hereby required to give notice of the same to the sheriffs of the several counties of this State at least twenty days prior to said election, and the said sheriffs are required to give the several notices required by law. The Secretary of State shall also certify this proposed constitutional amendment to the clerk of each county in the State, and the said amendment shall be indicated upon the official ballot for said election, in accordance with the provisions of act No. 190, of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting, and to prevent fraud and [deception] deceptions at elections in this State." Each person voting for said amendment shall designate his vote by a cross mark placed opposite the word "Yes," and each person voting against said amendment shall designate his vote by a cross mark placed opposite the word "No," as indicated upon said official ballot. The ballots shall in all respects be canvassed and returns made thereof as in general elections of State officers.

Mr. Weiss moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the above named joint resolution.

Pending which,

Mr. Barnard moved that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table.

On which motion Mr. Hough demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Barnard then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Jewell	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Clark	Hough	Mugford	
Doran	Mellen	Turnbull	9

And the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Mr. Barnard moved to take from the table

House joint resolution No. 29 (file No. 9), entitled

Joint resolution for submitting to the people an amendment to section 5 of article 7 of the constitution of this State relative to the residence of

inmates maintained at public expense, at asylums and other public institutions, by adding a proviso relative to soldiers who reside at the Soldiers' Home.

Which motion prevailed.

The joint resolution having been read a third time and the question being upon its passage,

The joint resolution was then passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS. 0

The following is the joint resolution.

JOINT RESOLUTION, for submitting to the people an amendment to section five of article seven of the constitution of this State relative to the residence of inmates maintained at public expense, at asylums and other public institutions, by adding a proviso relative to soldiers who reside at the Soldiers' Home.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, That an amendment to section five of article seven of the constitution of this State be and the same is hereby proposed to read as follows:

SEC. 5. No elector shall be deemed to have gained or lost a residence by reason of his being employed in the service of the United States, or of this State; nor while engaged in the navigation of the waters of this State or of the United States, or of the high seas; nor while a student of any seminary of learning; nor while kept at any almshouse or other asylum at public expense; nor while confined in any public prison, except that honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines who have served in the military or naval forces of the United States, or of this State, and who reside in soldiers' homes established by the State, may acquire a residence where such home is located.

Resolved, That said proposed constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State at the general election to take place on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four; and the Secretary of State is hereby required to give notice of the same to the sheriffs' of the several counties of this State at least twenty days prior to said election, and to certify the same to the clerks of the several counties of this State as required by the general laws of the State, and the said sheriffs are directed to give the several notices required by law, and the board of election commissioners of each of the several counties in this State shall prepare the ballots for voting on this amendment in accordance with the general laws of the State, and shall designate said amend-

ment on the official ballot as follows: "Amendment to the constitution authorizing inmates of soldiers' homes to vote where such homes are situated," with the words "Yes" and "No" so arranged that the electors may vote for or against said amendment by means of such mark as is or may be prescribed by law. The votes shall in all respects be canvassed and returns made as in the election of State officers.

Mr. Steel moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the aboved named joint resolution.

Pending which,

Mr. Barnard moved that the motion of Mr. Steel be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hopkins moved to take from the table

Senate joint resolution No. 11 (file No. 9), entitled

A joint resolution proposing to amend section 1 of article 6 of the constitution of this State relative to the judiciary department.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The joint resolution was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Earle moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

House bill No. 165 (file No. 253), entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Rhines vote recorder, or any other vote recorder of similar construction and principle, in all township, city and village elections held in this State.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The bill was then placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Fox moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

House bill No. 257 (file No. 172), entitled

A bill to prohibit the opening of barber shops on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, for the purpose of carrying on or engaging in the art or calling of hair cutting, shaving, hair dressing and shampooing, or in any work pertaining to the trade or business of a barber, on the said first day of the week, commonly called Sunday.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Fox moved that the bill be referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Pending which,

Mr. Turnbull moved that the bill be laid on the table.

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion of Mr. Fox then prevailed and the bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Steel moved to take from the table

House bill No. 147 (file No. 67), entitled

A bill to enable any town, county, or district agricultural society, heretofore organized under the laws of this State, whose term of corporate existence has expired, or is about to expire, by limitation, to reorganize for a further period, not exceeding thirty years, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations, associations or societies.

Together with the Senate substitute therefor (Senate file No. 129), entitled

A bill to enable any corporation, association or society organized under the general laws of this State, whose term of corporate existence has

expired, or is about to expire by limitation, to reorganize for a further period not exceeding thirty years, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations, associations or societies.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill as substituted,

Mr. Steel moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the adoption of the Senate substitute.

Which motion prevailed.

The question then being on concurring in the adoption of the Senate substitute for the bill,

The Senate non-concurred.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The bill was then referred to the committee on banks and corporations.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Mr. Steel rose to a

QUESTION OF PRIVELEGE

And stated that this morning he offered to amend

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts.

1. By striking out of line 26 of section 1 the word "Gratiot" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Tuscola."

2. By striking out of line 25 of section 1 the word "Genesee" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Gratiot."

3. By striking out of line 22 of section 1 the word "Tuscola" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Genesee."

Which said amendments the Senate refused at that time to consider, and he asked and obtained leave to have his question of privilege entered on the Journal.

Mr. Earle rose to a

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE

and stated that this morning when the Senate had under consideration the above named bill he had offered the following amendments thereto, viz.:

1. By striking out of line 21 of section 1 the word "Montcalm," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Ionia."

2. By striking out of line 24 of section 1 the word "Ionia" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Montcalm."

Which said amendments the Senate refused at that time to consider and he asked and obtained leave to have his question of privilege entered on the Journal.

Mr. Doran rose to a

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE.

Which he stated as follows:

"I protest against the proposed change in what is now called the 5th congressional district by making a new congressional district, to be called the 6th congressional district, which proposed change leaves out of the new district Ionia county, which has been associated with the counties of Kent and Ionia in a congressional district for years, and substituting in place of Ionia the county of Montcalm, which is against the wishes and desires of the voters of Kent, Ionia and Ottawa counties.

PETER DORAN."

Mr. Barnard rose to a

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE

and stated that this morning when the Senate had under consideration the above named bill he had offered the following amendments thereto, viz.:

1. By striking out of line 21 of section 1 the word "Montcalm," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Ionia."

2. By striking out of line 24 of section 1 the word "Ionia," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Montcalm,"

Which said amendments the Senate refused at that time to consider, and he asked and obtained leave to have his question of privilege entered upon the Journal.

Mr. Burt moved that

House bill No. 699 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of title 1; sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2; sections 12 and 13 of title 3; title 4; section 1 of title 5; sections 8, 11, 18, 19 and 20 of title 6; title 8; sections 8, 10, 11, 12 and 16 of title 10; section 1 of title 11; section 3 of title 12; sections 2, 5, and 9 of title 13; section 18 of title 14; and title 15, of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw, and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw; to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city; to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw, and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights; to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act number 455 of the local acts of 1889, and being the charter of the city of Saginaw,

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Pending which,

Mr. Weiss moved that the motion of Mr. Burt be laid on the table.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Weiss then

Prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Sabin	
Brundage	McLaughlin	Steel	
Crane	Mears	Weiss	
Garvelink	Pascoe	Wilkins	12

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Doran			10

And the motion of Mr. Burt was laid on the table.

Mr. Champion moved that a respectful message be sent to the House asking the return to the Senate of

House bill No. 153 (file No. 277), entitled

A bill providing for the protection of Antwerp or homing pigeons.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Clark moved to take from the table
Senate bill No. 408 (file No. 171), entitled
A bill to prohibit the use of the term "bank," "banker" or "bankers," to designate the business carried on by any person or persons, firm or corporation, other than corporations organized under the banking law of this State or of the United States.
Which motion prevailed.
On motion of Mr. Clark,
The bill was referred to the committee on Banks and corporations.
Mr. Morrow moved that hereafter during this session the committee of the whole consider bills in the order of their reference.
Which motion did not prevail.
Mr. Barnard moved that the Senate resolve itself into committee of the whole on the general order.
On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.
The motion of Mr. Barnard then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clapp	Jewell	Sawyer	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss	
Fox	Pascoe	Wilkins	
Garvelink			19

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Clark	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Doran	Mugford	6

The President called Mr. McGinley to the chair.
After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:
The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:
Senate bill No. 504 (file No. 239), entitled
A bill to amend sections 7, 8 and 17, repealing section 33 and leaving section 34 to stand as section 33 of act No. 313 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous or intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act."
But not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

CHAS. H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.
The committee of the whole was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.
On motion of Mr. Fox,
The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 307, entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 1, sections 2 and 3 of chapter 2, sections 3, 5, 8, 10 and 15 of chapter 3, section 2, chapter 4; sections 3, 4 and 6 of chapter 5, section 6 of chapter 6, sections 3, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 48 and 54 of chapter 7; sections 1, 3, 4, 7, 10, 14, 15, 17, 19, 22 and 25 of chapter 14; sections 6, 7 and 18 of chapter 15; sections 1, 2, 5 and 6 of chapter 16; sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14 and 35 of chapter 17; section 2 of chapter 21 of act number 390 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885, and the amendments thereto, and to repeal section 20 of chapter 16 of said act, and to add thereto two new sections to stand as section 9 of chapter 5, and section 11 of chapter 12 of said act.

In the passage of which the House has concurred, by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 874, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 337 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Kalamazoo," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Kalamazoo and to repeal all inconsistent acts and parts of acts," approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to add a new chapter thereto, to stand as chapter 28.

Which has passed the House by a vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to

take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Attorney General and Commissioner of Railroads are hereby authorized and directed to commence proceedings against the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway Company in order to test the legality of act number 123 of the public acts of 1891, and to determine whether or not by virtue of said act, said railway company is subject to all the restrictions, and liable to perform all the duties now imposed by the general laws upon railroad companies.

Which has been adopted by the House.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 272 (file No. 176), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Michigan School for the Deaf for the years 1893 and 1894.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 174, entitled

A bill to provide for the location, establishment and organization of an asylum for the insane in the upper peninsula.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 147 (file No. 67), entitled

A bill to enable any town, county or district agricultural society heretofore organized under the laws of this State, whose term of corporate existence has expired, or is about to expire by limitation, to reorganize for a further period not exceeding thirty years, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations, associations or societies.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the majority of the committee on Juciciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

House bill No. 691 (file No. 284), entitled

A bill to provide for the judicial investigation and determination of titles to land, so as to confirm and establish the same, and for the registration af titles so established.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHAS. H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 310 (file No. 132), entitled

A bill to amend sections 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act entitled 'An act relative to free schools in the city of Grand Rapids,'"

approved March 15, 1871, which said revision was approved May 9, 1877, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 14), entitled

A bill to amend section fourteen of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit, approved February 24, 1869, as amended by act number 397 of the acts of 1891, and to repeal section fifteen of said act, approved February 24, 1869.

Senate bill No. 414 (file No. 200), entitled

A bill providing that all persons employing female help in stores shall provide seats for the same when not actively employed.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on Religious and benevolent societies, to whom was referred

House bill No. 313 (file No. 323), entitled

A bill for the incorporation of associations known as Young Women's Christian Associations.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Agricultural interests:

The committee on Agricultural interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 655 (file No. 202), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of Jackson county, and the Jackson county agricultural society, to sell certain lands, and to invest the proceeds of such sale in the purchase of other lands, and in the improvements thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Fisheries:

The committee on Fisheries, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 89, entitled

A bill making it unlawful to take fish from Diamond lake in Cass county, in December, January, February, or March, and to fix a penalty therefor.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill making it a misdemeanor to take fish from the waters of Diamond lake in Cass county, during the months of December, January, February,

or March, excepting by certain prescribed means, and to prescribe penalties for the violation of this act.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. F. GIBSON, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Gilbert	Mugford	
Burt	Hopkins	Sabin	
Champion	Hough	Sawyer	
Clapp	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Mellen		26

NAYS.

Mr. Crane 1

Title agreed to.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred House bill No. 261 (file No. 295), entitled

A bill for the incorporation of the Sons of Veterans of the United States of America, division of Michigan, and subordinate camps thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Sabin
Clark	Hough	Sawyer
Crane	Jewell	Steel
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull
Earle	Mears	Weiss
Fleshiem	Mellen	Wilkins
Fox		28

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 398, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 6, 37 and 39 of act No. 428 of the session laws of 1887, entitled "An act to revise and amend act No. 53 of the session laws of 1859, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Battle Creek,' approved February 3, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith," approved April 9, 1887, as amended, and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 95.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 428 of the session laws of 1887, entitled "An act to revise and amend act No. 53 of the session laws of 1859," entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Battle Creek," approved February 3, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, approved April 9, 1887, approved May 9, 1889, approved May 22, 1891, and approved March 22, 1893.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears
Brundage	French	Mellen
Burt	Garvelink	Morrow
Champion	Gibson	Mugford
Clapp	Gilbert	Pierce
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin
Crane	Hough	Sawyer
Doran	Jewell	Weiss
Earle	McGinley	Wilkins
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	29

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 792 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 9 of title 2; section 9 of title 3; sections 4, 12, 25 and 32 of title 4; sections 7, 8, 10 and 11 of title 5; sections 6, 10 and 36 of title 6, of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids,' approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; and to add to title 3 of said act six new sections, to be known and numbered as sections 19, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of said title 3 respectively; and to repeal section 23 of title 4; sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of title 6, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of title 7 of said act.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Doran moved to amend the bill by striking out in line 5, section 4, title II, the word "mayor," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "common council."

On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Doran			10

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. McLaughlin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Weiss	
Earle	McGinlay	Wilkins	
French			13

Mr. Doran then moved that leave be granted to himself to offer another amendment to the bill, and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Hough	Turnbull	9

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Weiss	
Earle	McGinley	Wilkins	
Fleshiem			16

The question then being on the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 53 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of erecting and owning buildings to be occupied for stores, offices, halls, and lodge, society and association rooms.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Mr. Burt moved that the committee of the whole be discharged from the further consideration of

House bill No. 699 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of title 1, sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2, sections 12 and 13 of title 3, title 4, section 1 of title 5, sections 8, 11, 18, 19 and 20 of title 6; title 8; sections 8, 10, 11, 12 and 16 of title 10; section 1 of title 11; section 3 of title 12; sections 2, 5 and 9 of title 13; section 18 of title 14; and title 15 of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw, to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city, to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights, to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act No. 455 of the local acts of 1889, and being the charter of the city of Saginaw,

And that the bill be reprinted and re-referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

Pending which,

Mr. Weiss moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senator reported absent without leave: Mr. Steel.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was despatched after the absentee.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Steel at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

Mr. Steel was admitted within the bar, excused and took his seat.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Burt,

Mr. Fox offered the following substitute for the motion made by Mr. Burt:

That the amendments made to the above named bill be printed in the Journal of today's proceedings and that the further consideration of the bill be made the special order for tomorrow afternoon at 2:15 o'clock.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Fox then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pierce	
Earle	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Pascoe		17

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Crane	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Doran	Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hough	Sabin	
Clark	Jewell	Turnbull	15

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Burt, as substituted, the same prevailed.

And the bill was made the special order for tomorrow afternoon at 2:15 o'clock.

The following are the proposed amendments to

House bill No. 699 (file No. 268).

(The Saginaw Bill.)

Ordered printed in the Journal:

1. Amend title 12 by inserting two new sections to stand as sections one and two, and to read as follows:

SECTION 1. The common council of the city of Saginaw shall appoint five persons, electors of said city, three from the eastern taxing district and two from the western taxing district of said city, who shall constitute the board of water commissioners of the city of Saginaw, and in the name

of the city said board shall have power to make contracts, and shall also have full power to make all necessary by-laws, rules and regulations for the management of the water works belonging to said city. Said board shall have charge of the water works of said city, and shall have power to expend such sums of money as the common council shall, from time to time, by resolution or otherwise, place at their disposal, for the maintenance and management of the water works, and the extension of water pipes, building of docks, cribs, buildings, reservoirs, and other works required for the successful operation of said water works.

SEC. 2. The members of the board of water commissioners of said city now in office except the mayor of said city shall hold until the expiration of the terms for which they were respectively appointed, and the fifth member to be appointed in the year 1893, shall hold his office until his successor is duly appointed in the year 1898.

Upon the appointment and qualification of such fifth member in the year 1893, the mayor of said city shall cease to be a member of said board of water commissioners. In the year 1894 and annually thereafter, at the time and in the manner provided in section 5 of title 11 of this act, the common council shall appoint one citizen of said city, being a qualified elector, as commissioner, who shall hold his office for the term of five years: *Provided*, That this section shall not be construed to prevent or disqualify any member of said board for reappointment, and in case of the death, resignation or removal from the city or from the office, of any commissioner, the common council shall, at their next regular meeting thereafter, or as soon as may be, fill such vacancy.

2. Amend section 1 of title 11, by striking out all of said section up to and including the word "years" in line 8 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. The common council, upon the nomination of the mayor, shall appoint five suitable persons, electors of said city, no more than three of whom shall belong to the same political party, who shall constitute a board of police commissioners for the city of Saginaw. The commissioners so appointed shall hold office for the term of five years: *Provided*, That the commissioners now in office shall hold until the expiration of the terms for which they were respectively appointed, and that at the appointment made in 1893 after this act shall take effect, two commissioners shall be appointed, one to hold until his successor is duly appointed in the year 1897, and the other to hold until his successor is duly appointed in the year 1898.

3. In line 4 of section 1 after the words "eleven, section" insert the words "one, two and."

4. In line 4 of the title after the words "eleven, section" insert the words "one, two and."

5. At the end of the title add the following: "and all acts and parts of acts amendatory of said sections and titles."

Mr. Barnard, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table House bill No. 792 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 9 of title 2; section 9 of title 3; sections 4, 12, 25 and 32 of title 4; sections 7, 8, 10 and 11 of title 5; sections 6, 10 and 36 of title 6, of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids,' approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as

amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; and to add to title 3 of said act 6 new sections, to be known and numbered as sections 19, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of said title 3 respectively; and to repeal section 23 of title 4; sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of title 6, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of title 7 of said act.

Which motion prevailed.

The President called the president *pro tem.* to the chair.

The bill having been read a time and the question being upon its passage, the bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin
Clapp	Gibson	Sawyer
Crane	Jewell	Steel
Earle	McGinley	Weiss
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins
Fox	Pascoe	President *pro tem.*

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NAYS.

Mr. Doran 1

Mr. Barnard moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect.

On which motion Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pierce
Brundage	Gibson	Sabin
Clapp	Jewell	Sawyer
Crane	McGinley	Steel
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins
Fox	Pascoe	President *pro tem.*
French		22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull
Doran	Morrow	8

And the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Fox, by unanimus consent, moved that

Senate bill No. 504 (file No. 239), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7, 8 and 17, repealing section 33 and leaving section 34 to stand as section 33 of act number 313 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous or intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act,"

Be made the special order for this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

On which motion Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Fox then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. French	Mr. Sabin	
Fox	Jewell	Steel	6

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Burt	Gilbert	Sawyer	
Champion	Hough	Turnbull	
Clark	McGinley	Weiss	
Doran	Mellen	Wilkins	
Earle	Morrow		
Fleshiem	Mugford		22

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President *pro tem* called Mr. McGinley to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, the President having resumed the chair, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 504 (file No. 239), entitled

A bill to amend sections seven, eight and seventeen, repealing section thirty-three and leaving section thirty-four to stand as section thirty-three of act number three hundred and thirteen of the public acts of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous or intoxicoting liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act."

Have made sundry amendments thereto, but not having completed the consideration thereof, ask leave to sit again thereon.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. McGinley.

The committee was granted leave to sit again for the consideration of the above named bill.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. McGinley to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 504 (file No. 239), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7, 8 and 17, repealing section 33 and leaving section 34 to stand as section 33 of act No. 313 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous or intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act."

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the committee to the above named bill,

Mr. Turnbull demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The Senate then concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Burt	Gibson	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Wilkins	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin		20

NAYS.

Mr. Doran	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Weiss	
McGinley			4

The bill was then placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. McGinley, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 341, entitled

A bill to vacate the sixteenth judicial circuit, and to reorganize the thirty-first judicial circuit.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Gibson moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Friday, May 19, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Agricultural interests:

The committee on Agricultuaal interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 310 (file No. 188) entitled

A bill to promote and encourage the agricultural development of lands in the upper peninsula, to authorize the formation of corporations for acquiring, holding, leasing and selling real estate for agricultural purposes, and for the erection of buildings and for the borrowing and loaning of money for all purposes connected with the development of said lands.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

Senate bill No. 252, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 96 of the public act of 1887, relative to salaries of justices of the supreme court, approved May 11, 1887, so as to require said justices to reside during their terms of office in the city of Lansing.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of act 146 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1857, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the supreme court, pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution," approved February 16, 1857, as amended, relative to salaries of justices of the supreme court, and requiring them to reside during their terms of office in the city of Lansing, being compiler's section 6393 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 532 (file No. 220), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 150 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,'" approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, and to add two new sections to said act to stand as sections 47 and 48, the same being section 46 of paragraph 3357*b* of the third volume of Howell's annotated statutes.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 65 (file No. 62), being

An act to authorize certain water-supply companies, now or hereafter organized to also operate electrical plants in connection with their waterworks system.

Also,

Senate bill No. 6 (file No. 3), being

An act to provide for the incorporation of the Senate and local clubs of the Happy Home clubs of America.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

Pursuant to the request of the Senate for the return of

Senate bill No. 42 (file No. 11), entitled

An act making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and settings, for a water tower, for electric lighting, and for new engines and setting at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo.

I have the honor to herewith transmit the same.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The above named bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Brundage, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from further consideration of

House bill No. 53 (file No. 56), entitled

To provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of erecting and owning buildings to be occupied for stores, offices, halls, and lodge, society and association rooms.

And that the bill be put upon its immediate passage.

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Clark	Gilbert	Sawyer	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Earle	Hough	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to respectfully request the return of Senate bill No. 137 (file No. 64), entitled

A bill to provide for the government and control of the State Public School at Coldwater and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

In order that the House may order the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was ordered to be re-transmitted to the House in compliance with the request.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 579 (file No. 307), entitled

A bill to amend sections 6, 8, 10 and 11 of chapter 2, section 31 of chapter 6, section 40 of chapter 7, sections 58, 60 and 61 of chapter 9, sections 93, 95 and 106 of chapter 13 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 873, 875, 877, 878, 898, 907, 925, 927, 928, 960, 962 and 973 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to repeal sections 12, 13, 14 and 15 of chapter 2, of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 879, 880, 881 and 882 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Military affairs.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 295, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 290 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of St. Johns, and the acts amendatory thereof.

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute therefor entitled:

A bill to amend act No. 290 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of St. Johns," and the acts amendatory thereto, and to add three new sections to article 6 of said act to stand as sections 8, 9 and 10, relative to bonding the village of St. Johns for sewerage purposes.

In the passage of which, as thus substituted, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the substitute adopted by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin	
Champion	Gibson	Sawyer	
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel	
Clark	Hough	Turnbull	
Crane	Jewell	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox			22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 186 (file No. 327), entitled

A bill to prevent the spread of the contagious diseases known as yellows and black knot among peach, plum, cherry, prune, almond, apricot and nectarine trees or the fruit thereof by providing measures for the eradication of the same, and to repeal act No. 158 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prevent the spread of the yellows, a contagious disease among peach, almond, apricot and nectarine trees, and to provide measures for the eradication of the same, and to repeal act 32 of the session laws of 1879," approved April 4, 1879.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Horticulture.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 556 (file No. 317), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 150 of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act No. 187 of the session laws of 1859; act No. 187 of the session laws of 1861; act No. 138 of the session laws of 1871; act No. 197 of the session laws of 1873, and act No. 277 of the public acts of 1881, relative to the salaries of judges of probate, the same being as so amended, sections 9012 and 9013 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 9 (file No. 121), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 10 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act to authorize a railroad company to sell and convey its property and franchises to any other railroad, and to provide for securing payment therefor," approved February 27, 1889.

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute for the same, entitled

A bill to authorize any railroad company now organized or that may hereafter be organized under the laws of this State, to sell, lease and convey its property and franchises to any other railroad company whether organized within or without this State, and to provide for securing payment therefor.

In the passage of which as thus substituted the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the substitute adopted by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Gibson	Mugford	
Crane	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Earle	Hough	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears		20

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Wilkins	3

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Fox moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

House bill No. 358, entitled

A bill to prevent the killing of deer in the counties of Lapeer, Tuscola, Sanilac, Huron and St. Clair for the period of 10 years and to provide a penalty therefor.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Mellen moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 6, section 1, after the word "Tuscola," the word "Macomb."

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Gilbert	Mugford
Burt	Hopkins	Sabin
Clapp	Hough	Sawyer
Doran	Jewell	Steel
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fox	Mears	Wilkins
Garvelink		25

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the bill so as to read as follows:

A bill to prohibit the hunting, capturing, worrying, wounding and killing of deer in the counties of Lapeer, Huron, Sanilac, Tuscola, Macomb and St. Clair for the period of 10 years and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Gibson moved to discharge the committee on Judiciary from the further consideration of

House bill No. 257 (file No. 172), entitled

A bill to prohibit the opening of barber shops on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, for the purpose of carrying on or engaging in the art or calling of hair cutting, shaving, hair dressing and shampooing, or in any work pertaining to the trade or business of a barber, on the said first day of the week, commonly called Sunday.

On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

Mr. Clapp moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and no Senators were reported absent without leave.

The motion of Mr. Gibson then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows;

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Sabin	
Gibson	Morrow	Turnbull	
Hough	Mugford	Weiss	
McLaughlin			10

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. Jewell	
Burt	Fleshiem	McGinley	
Champion	Fox	Pascoe	
Clapp	French	Pierce	
Clark	Garvelink	Sawyer	
Crane	Gilbert	Steel	
Doran	Hopkins	Wilkins	21

Mr. Sabin moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

House bill No. 147 (file No. 67), entitled

A bill to enable any town, county, or district agricultural society, heretofore organized under the laws of this State, whose term of corporate existence has expired, or is about to expire, by limitation to reorganize for a further period, not exceeding thirty years, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations, associations or societies.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Burt	Hough	Pierce	
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin	
Clark	McGinley	Sawyer	
Crane	McLaughlin	Steel	
Doran	Mears	Turnbull	
Earle	Mellen	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Morrow	Wilkins	
Fox			28

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Steel moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to enable any town, county or district agricultural society, heretofore organized under the laws of this State, whose term of corporate existence has expired, or is about to expire, by limitation, to reorganize

for a further period, not exceeding 30 years, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed agricultural corporations, associations or societies.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Mr. Doran moved to discharge the committee on Liquor traffic from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 147, entitled

A bill to repeal act No. 207 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away or furnishing of vinous, malt, brewed, fermented, spirituous or intoxicating liquors or any mixed liquor or beverage, any part of which is intoxicating, and to prohibit the keeping of any saloon or other place for the manufacture, sale, storing for sale, giving away or furnishing of such liquors or beverages, and to suspend the general laws of the State relative to the taxation and regulation of the manufacture and sale of such liquors in the several counties of this State under certain circumstances. To authorize the qualified electors of the several counties in this State to express their will in regard to such prohibition by an election, and to authorize and empower the board of supervisors of the several counties after such election if they shall determine the result to be in favor of such prohibition, to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away or furnishing of any such liquors, or the keeping of a saloon or any other place for the manufacture, sale, storing for sale, giving away or furnishing of the same within their respective counties, and to provide for penalties and rights of action in case of its violation," approved June 29, 1889.

On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow	
Doran	Hough	Turnbull	
Earle	Mellen		8

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	18

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 165 (file No. 253), entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Rhines vote recorder, or any other vote

recorder of similar construction and principle, in all township, city and village elections held in this State.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Weiss moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Champion, Crane and Doran.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was despatched after the absentees.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Doran at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

Mr. Doran was admitted within the bar excused, and took his seat.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Jewell moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting at the end of section 23 the following:

Provided, That the township board of any townstip, common council of any city, or village board of any village in this State, may at any time, by resolution, ordinance or vote, effectually annul any prior resolution, ordinance or vote passed thereby in any way relating to said Rhines vote recorder or recorders, or any other vote recorder or voting machine whatsoever, and by said amendment put a stop after 10 days from such amendment to the further use of any such recorders or machines within the limits of the township, village or city whose board or council shall have made said annulment. *And provided further*, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to authorize the use of any such recorders or machines in any other than elections solely for municipal purposes.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Barnard moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion did not prevail.

After some time spent in debate,

Mr. Sabin moved the previous question.

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being, "Shall the main question now be put?"

The same was not ordered.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Crane at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

Mr. Crane was admitted within the bar, excused, and took his seat.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out of section 2 all up to and including the words "village boards" in line 4, and inserting in lieu thereof the words,

"Whenever a majority of the voters of any township, village or city shall decide by vote to use said vote recorder or recorders in any municipal election or elections in said township, city or village, then the township board of such township, or village board of such village, or common council of such city whose voters have so decided.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Doran moved that the bill be re-referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

On which motion,

Mr. McLaughlin demanded the yeas and nays.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Champion at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

Mr. Champion was admitted within the bar, excused, and took his seat.

The question being on the motion of Mr. Doran to re-refer the bill to the committee of the whole, the same did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Burt	Gilbert	Mellen	
Champion	Jewell	Pascoe	
Doran	McGinley	Sawyer	12

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Earle	Hough	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mugford	Wilkins	18

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Earle	Hough	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
French	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Mellen		17

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Doran	Jewell	Pascoe	6

Title agreed to.

Mr. Pierce, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 202, entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Myers' automatic ballot machine or any other ballot machine of similar construction and principle, in all township, village or city elections held in this State.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce
Crane	Jewell	Sabin
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss
French	Mellen	Wilkins
Garvelink		19

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Pascoe
Doran	McGinley	5

Mr. Jewell moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the bill.

Mr. Pierce moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 155, entitled

A bill to amend section 27 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the laws of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, as amended by act No. 166 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 6, 1883, further amended by act No. 231 of the public acts of 1889, approved July 1, 1889, being compiler's section No. 1322, volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Gilbert	Pierce
Champion	Hopkins	Sabin
Clapp	Jewell	Steel
Clark	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Crane	Mears	Weiss
Doran	Mugford	Wilkins
Garvelink		22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 504 (file No. 239), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7, 8 and 17, repealing section 33 and leaving section 34 to stand as section 33 of act No. 313 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous or intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act."

Pending third reading of which,
Mr. Weiss moved that the bill be laid on the table.
On which motion Mr. McLaughlin demanded the yeas and nays.
The motion of Mr. Weiss then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	McGinley	Sabin	
Champion	Mears	Turnbull	
Doran	Pascoe	Weiss	
Fleshiem			13

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Clapp	Gibson	Mugford	
Clark	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
French	McLaughlin	Wilkins	15

On motion of Mr. Clark,
The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.
A quorum present.
The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Being the consideration of
Senate bill No. 504 (file No. 239), entitled
A bill to amend sections 7, 8 and 17, repealing section 33 and leaving section 34 to stand as section 33 of act number 313 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous or intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act."
Pending third reading of the bill,
By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Reform School:
The committee on Reform School, to whom was referred
Senate bill No. 54 (file No. 25), entitled
A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 154, public acts of 1891, entitled An act to amend section 10 of chapter 342 of Howell's annotated statutes

of Michigan, as amended by act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Reform School."

Which passed the Senate Feb. 17, 1893, and which the House amended as follows:

1. By striking out the enacting section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 10 of act No. 78 of the session laws of 1855, entitled "An act to establish a house of correction for juvenile offenders," as amended by act No. 154 of the public acts of 1891, the same being section 8135 of the compiled laws of 1871 and section 9817 of Howell's annotated statutes (the said institution now being known as the Industrial School for Boys) be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

2. By striking out of line 1 of section 10 the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixteen."

3. By striking out of line 7 of section 10 the word "sixteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seventeen."

And the title to which the House amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 10 of act No. 78 of the session laws of 1855, entitled "An act to establish a house of correction for juvenile offenders," as amended by act No. 154 of the public acts of 1891, the same being section 8135 of the compiled laws of 1871, and section 9817 of Howell's annotated statutes, (the said institution now being known as the Industrial School for Boys).

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the amendments made by the House to the bill be concurred in and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. L. BRUNDAGE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill.

Pending the taking of the vote thereon,

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of

House bill No. 699 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of title 1, sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2, sections 12 and 13 of title 3, title 4, section 1 of title 5, sections 8, 11, 18, 19 and 20 of title 6, title 8, sections 8, 10, 11, 12 and 16 of title 10, section 1 of title 11, section 3 of title 12, sections 2, 5 and 9 of title 13, section 18 of title 14, and title 15 of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw, and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw, to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city, to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights, to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act No. 455 of the local acts of 1889, and being the charter of the city of Saginaw.

Mr. Burt moved that the special order be deferred until Monday next at 11 o'clock a. m.

On which motion Mr. Weiss demanded the yeas and nays:

The motion of Mr. Burt then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Doran			10

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	18

Mr. Brundage moved that the special order be deferred until 2:45 o'clock this afternoon.

Pending which,

Mr. Morrow moved to amend the motion made by Mr. Brundage by fixing the time for the special order at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

In the course of debate on which proposed amendment Mr. Doran attempted to read from a newspaper an article in reference to action heretofore taken by the Senate on a bill to amend the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, and

Mr. Fox called Mr. Doran to order on the ground that he was not speaking to the pending question.

Which point of order the President held to be well taken; whereupon

Mr. Morrow appealed from the decision of the Chair.

The question then being, "Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Senate?"

After some time spent in debate thereon, Mr. Sabin moved the previous question.

Which was seconded.

The question then being "Shall the main question be now put,"

Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays.

And the previous question was ordered, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

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NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	9

The question then being "Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Senate,"

The Chair was sustained, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Morrow 1

The question then recurring on the motion of Mr. Morrow to amend the motion of Mr. Brundage so as to fix the time for the special order for next Monday at 3 o'clock p. m., Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays thereon, and the motion to amend then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hopkins	Mugford	
Clark	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Mellen		11

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Sawyer	
Earle	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss	
Fox	Pascoe	Wilkins	
French			19

The motion of Mr. Brundage to postpone the special order until 2:45 o'clock p. m., then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow
Doran	Mellen	

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin
Clapp	Gibson	Sawyer

Mr. Crane	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Steel	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins	
Fox	Pascoe		20

Mr. McLaughlin then moved that the Senate resolve itself into committee of the whole on the special order.

Pending which,

Mr. Weiss moved the previous question, which was seconded, and Mr. Champion demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The question then being "Shall the main question be now put?" the same was ordered a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Pierce	
Brundage	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	Pasco	Wilkins	
French			19

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Clark	Mr. Mugford	3

The motion of Mr. McLaughlin that the Senate resolve itself into committee of the whole on the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Then prevailed and

The President called Mr. Pierce to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 699 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of title 1, sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2, sections 12 and 13 of title 3, title 4, section 1 of title 5, sections 8, 11, 18, 19 and 20 of title 6, title 8, sections 8, 10, 11, 12 and 16 of title 10, section 1 of title 11, section 3 of title 12, sections 2, 5 and 9 of title 13, section 18 of title 14, and title 15 of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw, and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw; to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city; to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw, and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights; to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act No. 455 of the local acts of 1889, and being the charter of the city of Saginaw.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:
House bill No. 474, entiiled

A bill to provide for a county and township system of roads and to prescribe the powers and duties of the officers having the charge thereof.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Roads and bridges.

Mr. Gilbert moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Which motion did not prevail.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 104 (file No. 38), entitled

A bill making it unlawful for foreign fire, boiler, plate-glass or casualty insurance companies, legally admitted to do business in the State of Michigan, to place or cause to be placed, except through a duly licensed agent in this State, insurance on property in the State of Michigan, in offices outside of the State of Michigan.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out of line 2 of section 1 the words "fire, boiler, plate-glass or casualty," also by striking out of lines 3 and 4 the words "upon property situated or located."

2. By striking out of line 1 of section 2 the words "be it further enacted that."

3. By striking out of line 1 of section 2 the words "be it further enacted that."

4. By striking out of line 1 of section 5 the words "be it further enacted that."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title as follows:

By striking out of line 1 of title the words "fire, boiler, plate-glass or lty," and also the words "on property."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Doran	Hough	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French	Mears		26

NAYS. 0

The question then being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the title of the bill.

Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 246, entitled

A bill to secure to women citizens, who are otherwise qualified, a right to vote in school, village and city elections.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 315 (file No. 315), entitled

A bill to amend section 7510 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being section 9075 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, in relation to the crime of murder in the first degree and the punishment thereof.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 262 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to provide for the control and management of the State Industrial Home for Girls, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out of line 2, of section 1, the word "State."
2. By striking out of lines 4 and 5, of section 1, the words "to be known as the guardians for the State Industrial Home for Girls."
3. By striking out of line 10, of section 1, the word "Michigan."
4. By striking out of line 8, of section 2, the word "Michigan."
5. By striking out of line 1, of section 3 the word "Michigan."
6. By striking out of lines 5 and 6, of section 3, the word "Michigan."
7. By striking out of line 9, of section, the word "Michigan."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title as follows:

By striking out of line 1 the word "State."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect vtoing therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin	
Champion	Gibson	Sawyer	
Clapp	Jewell	Steel	
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Pascoe	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Mugford	
Clark			4

The question then being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title of the bill.

The Senate concurred.

Mr. Sabin moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect.

On which motion Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

Mr. Sabin moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Barnard moved that the motion of Mr. Sabin be laid on the table.

On which motion Mr. Clark demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Barnard then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Clark	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	6

And the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 153 (file No. 161), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance and management and control of the Michigan School for the Deaf, and to repeal all laws inconsistent herewith.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

1. By striking out of line 6 of section 2 the word "one" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "a member."

2. By striking out of line 2 of section 2 the word "control" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "trustees."

3. By striking out of lines 1 and 7 of section 9 the word "November" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "September."

4. By striking out of line 8 of section 10 the word "November" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "September."

5. By striking out of line 3 of section 14 the words "be and."

6. By striking out of lines 1, 2 and 3 of section 15 all up to the word "less" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "There shall be received in said school as pupils all such deaf persons and particularly deaf persons between the ages of seven and twenty-one years whose defective hearing prevents them from receiving instruction in the common schools, to remain not to exceed thirteen years."

7. By striking out of line 5 of section 15 the words "and if minors" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or."

8. By striking out of line 7 of section 15 the word "control" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "trustees."

9. By striking out of line 8 of section 15 the word "but" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and," and by also inserting between the words "admit" and "applicants" the words "under like restrictions."

10. By striking out of line 3 of section 16 the words "necessary expences" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "necessaries."

11. By adding to line 10 of section 18 at the end thereof the words "No pupil of such institution shall be returned to any poor house during such vacation."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clapp	Gibson	Pierce	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Sawyer	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Mr. Sabin moved that the bill be ordered to take immediate effect.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Sabin then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Gilbert	Morrow	
Clark	Hough	Mugford	9

And the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sabin moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Barnard moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Barnard then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Gilbert	Morrow	
Clark	Hough	Mugford	9

And the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 303 (file No. 245), entitled

A bill to appropiate $25,000 to erect and equip a building for physical education and training at the State Normal School at Ypsilanti.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out of line 3 of section 1 the word "twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty."

2. By striking out of line 1 of section 2 the word "twenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title of the bill by striking out the word "five" after the word "twenty."

In the passage of which as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Doran	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Clapp	Mr. Gilbert	
Burt	Crane	Mellen	6

The question then being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title of the bill,

The Senate concurrred.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 10, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 451 (file No. 120), entitled

A bill to provide for a board of trustees for the management and control of the Michigan Reform School and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title of the same, as follows:

By striking out the words "Reform School" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Industrial School for Boys."

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title of the bill,

Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The Senate then concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Champion	Gibson	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox	Mears		23

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Mellen	
Clark	Gilbert		5

Mr. Burt moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. McGinley moved that the above named bill be ordered to take immediate effect.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. McGinley then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Hough		8

Mr. Sabin moved to reconsider the vote by which the above named bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Barnard moved that the motion be laid on the table.

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Barnard then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Sawyer	
Earle	Jewell	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Wilkins	
Fox	Mears		20

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Gilbert	Morrow	
Clark	Hough	Mugford	9

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Gilbert moved that all further proceedings under the call be dispensed with,

On which motion Mr. Burt demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Gilbert then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Gilbert	Morrow	
Clark	Hough	Mugford	
Doran			10

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Sawyer	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins	
French			19

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following joint resolution:

Senate joint resolution No. 2 (file No. 4), entitled

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 1 of article 7 of the constitution of this State relative to the qualifications of electors.

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute for the same, entitled

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 1 of article 7 of the constitution of this State, relative to the qualifications of electors.

In the passage of which, as thus substituted, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the substitute made by the House to the joint resolution,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	

Mr. Crane	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Sawyer
Earle	McGinley	Steel
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fox	Mears	Wilkins
French		22

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Morrow
Clark		4

Mr. Morrow moved that the joint resolution be laid upon the table,

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Weiss moved that the joint resolution be ordered to take immediate effect,

On which motion Mr. Gilbert demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Wiess then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer
Earle	McGinley	Steel
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fox	Mears	Wilkins
French		22

NAYS. 0

And the joint resolution was ordered to take immediate effect.

The following is the joint resolution:

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amenment to section 1 of article 7 of the constitution of this State, relative to the qualifications of electors.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, That there shall be submitted to the electors of this State for approval or rejection the following amendment to section 1 of article 7 of the constitution of this State, that is to say, that section 1 of article 7 of said constitution be amended to read as follows:

"SECTION 1. In all elections, every male inhabitant of this State, being a citizen of the United States, every male inhabitant residing in this State on the 24th day of June, 1835, every male inhabitant residing in the State on the 1st day of January, 1850, every male indabitant of foreign birth who, having resided in the State two years and six months prior to the 8th day of November, 1894, and having declared his intention to become a citizen of the Uniied States two years and six months prior to said last named day, and every civilized male inhabitant of Indian descent, a native of the United States, and not a member of any tribe, shall be an elector and entitled to vote; but no one shall be an elector or entitled to vote at any election unless he shall be above the age of twenty-one years, and has resided in this State six months and in the township or ward in which he offers to vote, twenty days next preceding such election: *Provided,* That in time of war, insurrection or rebellion no qualified elector in the actual military service of the United States, or of this State, or in the army or

navy thereof, shall be deprived of his vote by reason of his absence from the township, ward or state in which he resides, and the Legislature shall have the power, and shall provide the manner in which, and the time and place at which such absent electors may vote, and for the canvass and return of their votes to the township or ward election district in which they respectively reside, or otherwise."

Resolved, That said constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State at the election to take place on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1894; and the Secretary of State is hereby required to give notice of the same to the sheriffs of the several counties of this State at least 15 days prior to said election, and to certify the same to the clerks of the several counties of this State as required by the general laws of this State, and the said sheriffs are directed to give the several notices required by law, and the board of election commissioners of each of the several counties in this State shall prepare the ballots for voting on this amendment in accordance with the general laws of the State, and shall designate said amendment on the official ballot as follows: "Amendment to the constitution relative to the qualifications of electors"—with the words "Yes" and "No" so arranged that the electors may vote for or against said amendment by means of such mark as is or may be prescribed by law. The votes shall in all respects be canvassed and returns made as in the election of State officers.

The joint resolution was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 28 laws of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for a game and fish warden and to prescribe his powers and duties.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

(1) By striking out of line 1 of section 2 the words "and destroy."

(2) By inserting the words "or nets or fishing appliances or apparatus" after the word "fish" in line 24 of section 3.

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred, a majority of the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford
Crane	Gibson	Pascoe
Doran	Hopkins	Pierce

Mr. Earle	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Sabin	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mellen	Wilkins	21

NAYS. 0

Mr. Weiss moved that the bill be ordered to take effect July 1, 1893, and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion then prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer	
Earle	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	22
French			

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Clark	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Mellen	Mugford	6

And the bill was ordered to take effect July 1, 1893.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

Senate bill No. 76 (file No. 99), entitled

A bill to establish uniformity in the taking of depositions for use in judicial proceedings,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and further recommend that the title of the bill be amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to establish uniformity in the taking of depositions and to provide for the taking of the same in judicial proceedings.

And ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 341 (file No. 302), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 67 of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act No. 35 of the public acts of 1881, and act number 169 of the public

acts of 1883, and also by act number 168 of the public acts of 1889, being section 5772a, of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to the title of real property by descent,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendment thereto, recommending that the amendment be concurred in and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 553 (file No. 252), entitled

A bill to provide for ascertaining, adjudicating and determining the termination of life estates in real and personal property,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendment thereto, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 231 (file No. 111), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of act number 174 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to amend sections 7, 30, 36 and 41 of article 2, and sections 3 and 5 of article 3, and section 14 of article 4, and to add two new sections to article 2 to stand as sections 45 and 46, and to add a new section to article 5, to stand as section 22 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, being act number 198, session laws 1873, as amended by act number 184 of the public acts of 1891,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 856, entitled

A bill to provide for and confirm the board of health of the city of Detroit and prescribe its powers and duties,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clapp	Hough	Sabin	
Clark	Jewell	Sawyer	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	27
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Horticulture:

The committee on Horticulture, to whom was referred

House bill No. 186 (file No. 327), entitled

A bill to prevent the spread of the contagious diseases known as yellows and black knot among peach, plum, cherry, prune, almond, apricot and nectarine trees, or the fruit thereof, by providing measures for the eradication of the same, and to repeal act No. 158 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prevent the spread of the yellows, a contagious disease, among peach, almond, apricot and nectarine trees, and to provide measures for the eradication of the same and to repeal act 32 of the session laws of 1879," approved April 4, 1879,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

AUGUSTUS JEWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mellen	
Burt	Gibson	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clapp	Hough	Steel	
Clark	Jewell	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Wilkins	
Fox	McLaughlin		23

NAYS.

Mr. Gilbert 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect; the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Agricultural interests:

The committee on Agricultural interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 255, entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a Dairy and Food Commissioner, and to define his powers and duties and fix his compensation,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Public health:

The committee on Public health, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 88), entitled

A bill to protect State, charitable and reformatory institutions from the introduction of contagious and infectious diseases, and from the expense of the transmittal of epileptics,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with

amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

MARDEN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Education and public schools:

The committee on Education and public schools, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 448, entitled

A bill to provide for the sale and conveyance of the property of school districts in this State, and for the distribution of the proceeds of such sale in case of the depopulation of any such school districts,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

SAMUEL M. WILKINS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Wilkins,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 14), entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24, 1869, as amended by act number 397 of the acts of 1891, to repeal section 15 of said act, approved February 24, 1869, and to add one new section to said act to stand as section 26.

Senate bill No. 310, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 4 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act entitled 'An act relative to free schools in the city of Grand Rapids,'" approved March 15, 1871, which said revision was approved May 9, 1877, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment, report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 198 (file No. 150), entitled

A bill to incorporate the village of Grosse Pointe Farms in the county of Wayne, and for that purpose to detach certain territory from the village of Grosse Pointe.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Being the consideration of

Senate bill No. 504 (file No. 239), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7, 8 and 17, repealing section 33 and leaving section 34 to stand as section 33 of act No. 313 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous or intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act."

The bill having been read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 3 of enacting section 1 after the word "sections" the word "one,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Hopkins moved to amend the bill by striking out of line 4 of section 17 the words "until 6 o'lock p. m.,"

Which motion did not prevail

Mr. Weiss moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out the words "five hundred dollars" wherever they occur in the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words "four hundred dollars."

Pending which,

Mr. Pascoe moved that the Senate ajourn,

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion of Mr. Weiss then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Pascoe	
Doran	Mellen	Turnbull	
Gilbert	Morrow	Weiss	
Hough			10

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	French	Mears	
Burt	Garvelink	Sabin	
Clapp	Gibson	Sawyer	
Crane	Hopkins	Wilkins	
Fleshiem	Jewell		17

Mr. McLaughlin then moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to strike out of line 4, of section 17, of the bill the words "until six o'clock p. m."

On which motion Mr. Clapp demanded the yeas and nays.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary and the Senators voted thereon as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. McLaughlin	
Champion	French	Mears	
Clapp	Garvelink	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Wilkins	15

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Clark	Hough	Sawyer	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss	15

Whereupon the President announced his vote "yea" and declared that the motion to reconsider prevailed.

The question then recurring on the motion to strike out of line 4, of section 17 of the bill, the words "until 6 o'clock p. m."

Mr. Clapp demanded the yeas and nays thereon and the motion then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	French	Pierce	
Champion	Garvelink	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Wilkins	
Earle	McLaughlin		17

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Pascoe	
Clark	Hough	Sawyer	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss	
Gibson	Morrow		14

And the bill was so amended.

Mr. Steel then moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting at end of section 17 the words "except on all election days and on the 25th day of December, commonly called Christmas day, and on the 30th day of May, commonly called decoration or memorial day, and on any day appointed or recommended by the Governor of this State or the President of the United States as a day of fasting and prayer or thanksgiving.

Pending which,

Mr. Turnbull moved the previous question.

Which was seconded.

The question then being "Shall the main question be now put?"

The same was ordered.

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Steel to amend the bill by inserting at the end of section 17 after the words "except on all election days and on the 25th day of December, commonly called Christmas day, and on the 30th day of May, commonly called decoration or memorial day, and on any day appointed or recommended by the Governor of this State or the President of the United States as a day of fasting and prayer or thanksgiving."

Mr. Clapp demanded the yeas and nays and the motion then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce	
Champion	Garvelink	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox	Mears		17

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Mellen	
Clark	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Doran	McGinley	Sawyer	9

And the bill was so amended.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	French	Pierce	
Burt	Garvelink	Sabin	
Clapp	Gibson	Sawyer	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
Mugford	McLaughlin	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Doran	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Pascoe	
Hough	Mellen	Weiss	6

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 1, 7, 8 and 17, repealing section 33 and leaving section 34 to stand as section 33 of act No. 313 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous or intoxicationg liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act,

Which motion prevailed and the title was so amended.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. Burt rose to a

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE.

And stated that the Senate in committee of the whole had refused to have read House bill 699 (file No. 268), against which action he earnestly protested, and gave notice that if the bill ever passes the Senate without reading he will take the matter into the courts.

Mr. Clark rose to a

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE.

And stated that his understanding was that the committee of the whole did amend the above named bill and that the report made by the chairman that no amendments were made thereto was incorrect.

Mr. Morrow rose to a

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE,

Which he stated as follows:

"I rise to a question of privilege. My question of privilege is, that, but a few moments ago the Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, Senator Pierce in the chair, on the special order of the day, being

House bill No. 699.

A bill to amend title 1; sections 1 and 5 of title 2; sections 12 and 13 of title 3; title 4; title 6; title 8; title 10; section 1 of title 11; section 3 of title 12; sections 2, 5 and 9 of title 13; and title 15, of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw; to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city; to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights; to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act number 455 of the laws of 1889, and being the charter of the city of Saginaw, and all acts and parts of acts amendatory of said sections and titles.

Immediately on Senator Pierce taking the chair during much confusion and noise a motion was declared carried that the bill be read by sections. In endeavoring to have an intelligent understanding of the provisions of the bill through the reading of the sections, it was ruled by the chair that under the vote to read by sections the bill could not be read except by title and the calling of the numbers of the section and no more, when the chair called the number of section 4 of the bill on which some discussion was had through a motion of the Senator from Saginaw, Mr. Burt, that a part of line 22, all of lines 23 and 24 and a part of line 25 be stricken out of the bill. During the discussion of the bill I obtained the floor and for the purpose of a better understanding of the question and to give force to my argument I attempted to read the section from which lines were to be stricken out, and I had not read more than a few lines of the section when points of order was raised against the reading of the section, as a part of my argument as going to show why the said lines should be stricken out, many members on their feet crowding about the desk of the clerk in an uproarous manner, during which time and while I was still reading the bill, a motion to consider the bill read was put, by some one, to me unknown, that the bill be considered read, this motion was by the chair declared carried as was a motion that the committee rise. On the President taking the chair, the Chairman reported to the Senate that the committee had under consideration House bill No. 699, had made no amendments thereto and recommended that the bill do pass, which I represent is contrary to the actual proceedings had, and as a high handed, revolutionary, and tyrranic attempt to force upon the people of the State, laws contrary to the provisions of the constitution of the State, contrary to the rules of the Senate and dangerous to the welfare of the commonwealth.

JAMES H. MORROW.

Mr. Brundage, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 54 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 154, public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to amend section 10, of chapter 342, of Howell's annotated stat-

utes of Michigan, as amended by act No. 172, of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Reform School,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

The Senate non-concurred, a majority of the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Crane	Jewell	Sabin	
Eleshiem	McGinley	Sawyer	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	15

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel	
Clark	Mellen		8

Mr. McGinley, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, House bill No. 547, known as Moll's Black river sanitary bill, appropriating a sum of money to the State board of health for sanitary purposes and providing for and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of said board was sent to the committee on Cities and villages and is now in the possession of said committee, and as it must necessarily go to the committee on Finance and appropriation before being passed upon by the Senate; and

WHEREAS, The people of Sanilac county are continually sending their Senator petitions requesting to have said bill acted upon with all convenient speed, and the time being short in which bills can be acted upon this session; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said committee on Cities and villages be and they are hereby politely requested to report out said bill with the recommendation that the same be referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations,

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Pierce offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on Engrossment and enrollment be authorized to engage necessary extra clerical help during the remainder of the session.

Pending which,

Mr. Turnbull moved that the Senate adjourn.

Pending which,

Mr. McLaughlin moved that the Senate take a recess until 9 o'clock this evening,

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion of Mr. Turnbull then prevailed.

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Lansing, Saturday, May 20, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Gilbert.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

Leave of absence was granted to the absentee from today's session.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 227, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of the State officers named in the constitution of this State,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order without printing.

Mr. Pierce, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on Engrossment and enrollment be and are hereby authorized to employ extra clerical help during the remainder of the session, as the necessity therefor may arise,

Which resolution was adopted.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 335, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 87 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the appropriation of money to pay the salary of the Attorney General, clerks and certain expenses in such department and to provide the manner and condition of payment and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the bill be referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred
House bill No. 556 (file No. 317), entitled
A bill to amend chapter 150 of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act No. 187 of the session laws of 1859; act No. 187 of the session laws of 1861, act No. 138 of the session laws of 1871, act No. 197 of the session laws of 1873, and act No. 277 of the public acts of 1881, relative to the salaries of judges of probate, the same being, as so amended, sections 9012 and 9013 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendment thereto, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.
On motion of Mr. McGinley,
The Senate concurred in the amendment made to the bill by the committee.
The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 17, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State
Senate bill No. 156 (file No. 193), entitled
An act making an appropriation for the Industrial School for Boys for the years 1893 and 1894.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 19, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to request the return of the following bill:
Senate bill No. 262 (file No. 215), entitled
A bill to provide for the control and management of the State Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act.
In order that the House may order the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was ordered to be retransmitted to the House in compliance with the request.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Pierce to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 411 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill for the ascertainment and protection of the intersts of the State in escheated estates.

House bill No. 273 (file No. 95), entitled

A bill to arthorize the city of Detroit to acquire land outside of the limits of said city, for use as public parks, public grounds and boulevards, and to regulate and improve the the same,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 193, entitled

A bill to repeal section 32 and to amend section 33 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Central railroad company," approved March 28, 1846,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 50 (file No. 186), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7 and 8 added to act No. 246 of the public acts of 1861, entitled "An act to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes for the passage of fish through dams across the streams of this State," approved March 16, 1861, as amended, the same being compiler's sections 2155 and 2156 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that all after the enacting clause be stricken out.

CHAS. S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made in the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

The question being on concurring in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third above named bill,

Mr. Turnbull then demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The Senate then concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Earle	Mr. Sabin	
Burt	Fleshiem	Sawyer	
Champion	Garvelink	Steel	
Clapp	Jewell	Wilkins	
Crane	Pierce		14

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Mr. Clark	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Mugford	
Fox	Mears	Turnbull	
Hough	Mellen	Weiss	9

Mr. McGinley moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third above named bill.

Pending which,

Mr. Clapp moved to lay the motion on the table,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Clapp then moved that the title and enacting clause of the above named bill be laid on the table,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McLaughlin moved that the Senate take a recess until 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Pending which,

Mr. Burt moved to amend by making the hour 2 o'clock p. m.,

Which amendment was concurred in and the original motion as amended then prevailed, and the Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

Mr. Burt, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the order of third reading of bills,

House bill No. 699 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of title 1; sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2; sections 12 and 13 of title 3; title 4; section 1 of title 5; sections 8, 11, 18, 19 and 20 title 6; title 8; sections 10, 11 and 12 of title 10; section 1 of title 11, section 3 of title 12; sections 2, 5, and 9 of title 13; section 18 of title 14; and title 15, of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw, and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw; to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated

city; to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw, and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights; to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act No. 455 of the local acts of 1889, and being the charter of the city of Saginaw.

And to re-refer the same to the committee on cities and villages,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn today it stand adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m., Monday next.

Pending which,.

Mr. Morrow moved to amend the resolution by making the time to which the Senate shall stand adjourned Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Which motion prevailed.

The question then recurring on the resolution as amended the same was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Tuesday morning.

On motion of Mr. Wilkins,

Leave of absence was granted to himself until Tuesday afternoon.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon,

The President called Mr. Fleshiem to the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 146 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patients' library, and for hall painting and renovating at the Eastern Michigan Asylum,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 174, entitled

A bill to provide for the location, establishment and organization of an asylum for the insane in the upper peninsula.

Senate bill No. 188 (file No. 250), entitled

A bill to amend section 55 of act No. 205 of the public acts of this State for the year 1887, entitled "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," approved June 21, 1887.

Senate bill No. 56 (file No. 135), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 3, 7, 14, 16, 17, 23, 26, 32, 36, 43 and 44 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the

manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and (deception) deceptions at elections in this State,"

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent the senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, two whom was referred

House bill No. 699 (file No. 268), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of title 1; sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2, sections 12 and 13 of title 3; title 4; section 1 of title 5; sections 8, 11, 18, 19, and 20, of title 6; title 8; sections 8, 10, 11, 12 and 16 of title 10; section 1 of title 11; section 3 of title 12; sections 2, 5 and 9 of title 13; section 18 of title 14; and title 15; of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw, and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw; to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city; to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw, and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights; to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act No. 455 of the local acts of 1889, and being the charter of the city of Saginaw,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Pierce
Burt	McGinley	Sabin
Champion	Mears	Sawyer
Clapp	Mellen	Steel

Mr. Clark	Mr. Morrow	Mr. Turnbull
Fleshiem	Mugford	Weiss
Garvelink	Pascoe	Wilkins
Hopkins		

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The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Burt moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section three of title 1; sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2; sections 12 and 13 of title 3; title 4; section 1 of title 5; sections 8, 11, 18, 19 and 20 of title 6, title 8; sections 8, 10, 11, 12, and 16 of title 10; section 1 of title 11; section 3 of title 12; sections 2, 5 and 9 of title 13; section 18 of title 14; and title 15, of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw, and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw; to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city; to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw, and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights; to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act No. 155 of the local acts of 1889, and being the charter of the city of Saginaw, and all acts and parts of acts amendatory of said sections and titles.

By unanimous consent the senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 298, entitled

A bill to detach certain land from the city of Marquette, in the county of Marquette, and attach the same to the township of Marquette in the said county of Marquette,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe
Burt	Hopkins	Pierce
Champion	Jewell	Sabin

Mr. Clapp	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Sawyer	
Clark	Mears	Steel	
Crane	Mellen	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Morrow	Weiss	
Fox	Mugford	Wilkins	24

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,

By a vote of two thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 398, entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 428 of the session laws of 1887, entiled "An act to revise and amend act No. 53 of the session laws of 1859," entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Battle Creek," approved February 3, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, approved April 9, 1887, approved May 9, 1889, approved May 22, 1891, and approved March 22, 1893.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 412, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Wisner in the county of Tuscola, to borrow money for the purpose of constructing a drain as herein provided in said county of Tuscola,

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

1. By striking out of line 13 of section 1 the words "a majority" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two-thirds."

2. By striking out of lines 1 and 2 of section 2 the words "a majority" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two-thirds."

3. By striking out of line 6 of section 2 the word "seven" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefore, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Burt	Hopkins	Pierce	
Champion	Jewell	Sabin	
Clapp	McGinley	Sawyer	
Clark	Mears	Turnbull	
Crane	Mellen	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Morrow	Wilkins	
Fox	Mugford		23

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The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 222, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Gilford, in the county of Tuscola, to borrow money for the purpose of constructing a drain as herein provided, in said county of Tuscola.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out of line 11 of section 1 the words "a majority" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two-thirds."

2. By striking out of line 1 of section 2 the words "a majority" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two-thirds."

3. By striking out of line 6 of section 2 the word "seven" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six."

In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pierce	
Champion	Jewell	Sabin	
Clapp	McGinley	Sawyer	
Clark	Mears	Steel	
Crane	Mellen	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Morrow	Weiss	
Fox	Mugford	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Pascoe		23

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 583 (file No. 346), entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for the prevention of cruelty to children,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on State affairs.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 584 (file No. 358), entitled

A bill to provide a penalty for cruelty to children,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on State affairs.

The President also announced the following;

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 153 (file No. 277), entitled

A bill providing for the protection of Antwerp or homing pigeons.

In accordance with the Senate's request therefor.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Champion moved to suspend the rule limiting the time for reconsideration,

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The vote by which the above named bill was ordered to take immediate effect, was reconsidered.

The question then being on ordering the bill to take immediate effect,

Mr. Champion moved to amend the motion by making the time June 1, 1893,

Which amendment was concurred in.

The bill was then ordered to take effect June 1, 1893, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Turnbull to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 381 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to provide a penalty for malicious injury to or use of telegraph and telephone instruments and the unauthorized reading or copying messages therefrom.

House bill No. 260 (file No. 294), entitled

A bill for the incorporation of the Ladies' Aid Society, auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans of the United States of America, Division of Michigan, and of subordinate societies thereof.

House bill No. 285 (file No. 297), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of act number 176 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act for the organization of township school districts in the upper peninsula," approved June 30, 1891.

House bill No. 51 (file No. 293), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 124 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, being an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of all manufacturing companies except such as are contemplated by act number 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manufacture of salt and mercantile companies, or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations, as heretofore amended by adding thereto one new section to be known as section 38.

House bill No. 278 (file No. 78), entitled

A bill to provide for the extension of the term of existence of corporations or associations organized under act No. 87 of acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1855, approved February 12, 1855, entitled "An act relating to burying grounds," and amendments thereto, the corporate term of existence of which has heretofore expired, or may hereafter expire by limitation, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations or associations,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 227, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of the State officers named in the constitution of this State,

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

III.

Senate substitute for House bill No. 327 (file No. 128), entitled

A bill to authorize the State Board of Education to grant teachers' certificates in certain cases,

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that the bill be printed in the Journal for the use of the committee of the whole.

JAMES D. TURNBULL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bill and the same was ordered printed in the Journal for the use of the committee.

The following is the bill:

Senate substitute for

House bill No. 327, file No. 128.

Introduced by Mr. Redfern.

Recommended by the committee on Education and public schools.

Order printed in the Journal for the use of the committee of the whole.

A BILL to authorize the State Board of Education to grant teachers' certificates in certain cases.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact.* That the State Board of Education is hereby empowered, and shall grant teachers' certificates without examination to any person who has received a bachelor's, master's or doctor's degree from any college in this State having a course

of study actually taught in such college, of not less than four years, in addition to the preparatory work necessary for admission to the University of Michigan; and in addition thereto a course in the science and art of teaching of at least one college year of five and a half hours per week, which shall have been approved by said Board of Education, which course shall have been taken by such person who shall have received a diploma therefor, and shall include a thorough examination of the applicant by the college granting such diploma, as to qualification and fitness for teaching; and provided that if said person furnishes to said board satisfactory proof of having successfully taught for three years in the schools of this State, said certificate shall be a life certificate. If such proof is not furnished said board, then such certificate shall be for four years only, and a life certificate may at any time thereafter be issued by said board upon the filing of such proof. Such certificate shall entitle the holder to teach in any of the schools of this State without examination, provided a copy of the same shall have been filed or recorded in the office of the legal examining officer or officers of the county, city, township or district in which such person is to teach, and shall be annulled only by the State board of education, and by it, only for cause.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the said board of education to carefully examine any course of study in the science and art of teaching that may be submitted to it by the trustees of any college, and, if satisfactory, to furnish such trustees with a written certificate approving the same.

SEC. 3. If, at any time, the said board of education shall conclude that any college, the graduates of which may desire to receive such certificate, is not giving such instruction in the science and art of teaching and in the other branches as shall be approved by said board, then said board shall so determine by a formal resolution, and shall give notice thereof to the trustees of such college, and thereafter no teachers' certificates shall be given by said board to the graduates of such college until said board shall be satisfied that proper instruction in the science and art of teaching and in the other branches is given by such college, and shall certify such fact to the trustees of such college.

Mr. Sabin, by unanimous consent, moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:30 o'clock this evening.

On which motion Mr. Fox demanded the yeas and nays:

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the Senators voted as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Morrow	Mr. Sabin	
Champion	Mugford	Sawyer	
Clark	Pierce	Turnbull	9

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Mears	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Steel	
Fox	McGinley	Weiss	9

Whereupon the president announced his vote "yea" and declared the motion carried to take a recess until 7:30 o'clock this evening.

AFTER RECESS.

7:30 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

Not a quorum present.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate adjourned and the President declared the Senate adjourned until Monday, May 22, 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Lansing, Monday, May 22, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: not a quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Barnard, Brundage, Burt, Crane, Doran, Earle, Fleshiem, French, Gibson, Gilbert, Hopkins, Hough, McLaughlin, Sabin, Sawyer, Steel and Weiss.

Mr. Fox moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Barnard, Brundage, Burt, Crane, Doran, Earle, Fleshiem, French, Gibson, Gilbert, Hopkins, Hough, McLaughlin, Sabin, Sawyer, Steele and Weiss.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Messrs. Fleshiem, Sabin, Hough, Steel, Crane and McLaughlin at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Fox, the above named Senators were admitted within the bar, excused and took their seats.

Whereupon the Secretary announced a quorum of the Senate present, and

Mr. Fox moved that all further proceeding under the call be dispensed with,

Which motion did not prevail.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Weiss at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

Mr. Weiss was admitted within the bar, excused and took his seat.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

House bill No. 246, entitled

A bill to secure to women citizens who are otherwise qualified the right to vote in school, village and city elections,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Pierce moved that the bill be re-refered to the committee on Judiciary, and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion of Mr. Pierce then prevailed a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Hough	Mr. Morrow	
Crane	Jewell	Pierce	
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss	9

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Mugford	Mr. Steel	
McGinley	Pascoe	Turnbull	
Mellen	Sabin		8

On motion of Mr. Fox,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Burt.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 579 (file No. 307), entitled

A bill to amend sections 6, 8, 10 and 11 of chapter 2, section 31 of chapter 6, section 40 of chapter 7, sections 58, 60 and 61 of chapter 9, sections 93, 95 and 106 of chapter 13 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 873, 875, 877, 878, 898, 907, 925, 927, 928, 960, 962 and 973 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to repeal sections 12, 13, 14 and 15 of chapter 2 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 879, 880, 881 and 882 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. MEARS, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 437 (file No. 217), entitled

A bill to define what shall constitute fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations; to provide for their incorporation and the regulation of their business, and for the punishment for violation of the provisions of the act of their incorporation, and to repeal all existing acts inconsistent therewith.

Senate joint resolution No. 2 (file No. 4), entitled

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 1 of article 7 of the constitution of this State relative to the qualifications of electors.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 307, entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 1; sections 2 and 3 of chapter 2; sections 3, 5, 8, 10 and 15 of chapter 3; section 2 of chapter 4; sections 3, 4 and 6 of chapter 5, section 6 of chapter 6; sections 3, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 48 and 54 of chapter 7, sections 1, 3, 4, 7, 10, 14, 15, 17, 19, 22 and 25 of chapter 14; sections 6, 7 and 18 of chapter 15; sections 1, 2, 5 and 6 of chapter 16; sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14 and 35 of chapter 17; section 2 of chapter 21 of act No. 390 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885, and the amendments thereto, and to repeal section 20 of chapter 16 of said act, and to add thereto two new sections to stand as section 9 of chapter 5 and sections 11, of chapter 12 of said act.

Also, Senate concurrent resolution.

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Attorney General and Commissioner of Railroads are hereby authorized and directed to commence proceedings against the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway Company in order to test the legality of act number 123 of the public acts of 1891, and to determine whether or not by virtue of said act, said railway company is subject to all the restrictions, and liable to perform all the duties now imposed by the general laws upon railroad companies.

Senate bill No. 303 (file No. 245), entitled

A bill to appropriate $20,000 to erect and equip a building for physical education and training at the State Normal School at Ypsilanti.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 373, entitled

A bill to amend sections 4, 99, 109, 181, 182, 187, 194, 215, 218, 226, 230, 242, 243, 250, 251 and 287 of "An act to reincorporate the city of Adrian," approved March 8, 1887.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 104 (file No. 38), entitled

A bill making it unlawful for foreign insurance companies, legally admitted to do business in the State of Michigan, to place or cause to be placed, except through a duly licensed agent in this State, insurance on property in the State of Michigan, in offices outside of the State of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 272 (file No. 176), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the Michigan School for the Deaf for the years 1893 and 1894.

Senate bill No. 153 (file No. 161), entitled

A bill to provide for the maintenance and management and control of the Michigan School for the Deaf, and to repeal all laws inconsistent herewith.

Senate bill No. 202, entitled

A bill to allow the use of the Myers' automatic ballot machine, or any other ballot machine of similar construction and principle, in all township, village or city elections held in this State.

Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 226), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 28, laws of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a game and fish warden, and to prescribe his powers and duties."

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 9 (file No. 121), entitled

A bill to authorize any railroad company now organized or that may hereafter be organized under the laws of this State to sell, lease and convey its property and franchises to any other railroad company, whether organized within or without this State, and to provide for securing payment therefor.

Senate bill No. 295, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 290 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of St. Johns," and the acts amendatory thereto, and to add three new sections to article 6 of said act to stand as sections 8, 9 and 10, relating to bonding the village of St. Johns for sewerage purposes.

Senate bill No. 222, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Gilford in the county of Tuscola to borrow money for the purpose of constructing a drain as herein provided, in said county of Tuscola.

Senate bill No. 398, entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 428 of the session laws of 1887, entitled "An act to revise and amend act No. 53 of the session laws of 1859," entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Battle Creek," approved February 3, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, approved April 9, 1887, approved May 9, 1889, approved May 22, 1891, and approved March 22, 1893.

Senate bill No. 412, entitled

A bill to authorize the township of Wisner in the county of Tuscola to borrow money for the purpose of constructing a drain as herein provided in said county of Tuscola.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, May 20, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 52 (file No. 196), being

An act to provide separate grades for railroads and public highways and streets where railroads intersect such highways and streets.

Senate bill No. 34 (file No. 234), being

An act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein," approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add two new sections thereto, to stand as section 7 and 8 of said act.

Senate bill No. 198 (file No. 150), being

An act to incorporate the village of Grosse Pointe Farms in the county of Wayne, and for that purpose to detach certain territory from the village of Grosse Pointe.

Senate bill No. 414 (file No. 200), being

An act providing that all persons employing female help in stores shall provide seats for the same when not actively employed.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the tble.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 189 (file No. 371), entitled

A bill to provide for the discharge from record of statements claiming liens upon real estate.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I. am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 89, entitled

A bill making it unlawful to take fish from Diamond lake in Cass county, in December, January, February, or March, and to fix a penalty therefor.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 20, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 54 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 154, public acts of 1891, entitled An act to amend section 10 of chapter 342 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended by act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Reform School."

Which the House amended as follows:

1. By striking out the enacting section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact*, That section 10 of act No. 78 of the session laws of 1855, entitled "An act to establish a house of correction for juvenile offenders," as amended by act No. 15[illegible] of the public acts of 1891, the same being section 8135 of the compiled laws of 1871 and section 9817 of Howell's annotated statutes (the said institution now being known as the Industrial School for Boys) be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

2. By striking out of line 1 of section 10 the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixteen."

3. By striking out of line 7 of section 10 the word "sixteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "seventeen."

And the title to which the House amended so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend section 10 of act No. 78 of the session laws of 1855, entitled "An act to establish a house of correction for juvenile offenders," as amended by act No. 154 of the public acts of 1891, the same being section 8135 of the compiled laws of 1871, and section 9817 of Howell's annotated statutes (the said institution now being known as the Industrial School for Boys).

In which amendments the Senate non-concurred.

And now to inform the Senate that the House insists upon said amendmendments, and asks for a committee of conference.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The request of the House for a committee of conference was granted, and the President announced as such committee on the part of the Senate Messrs. Brundage, Jewell and Morrow.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 529 (file No. 332), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a commission to prepare and report a general municipal corporation bill, under which all municipalties may become incorporated, and to prescribe their duties and provide for their compensation,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the special committee on Municipal corporations.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 146 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patients' library, and for hall painting and renovating at the Eastern Michigan Asylum.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Jewell	Mr Pascoe	
Clapp	McGinley	Pierce	
Crane	McLaughlin	Sabin	
Fleshiem	Mears	Steel	
Fox	Mellen	Turnbull	
Hough	Mugford	Weiss	18
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Steele,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Clapp to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 278 (file No. 107), entitled

A bill defining the position, and to provide for the treatment of convicts licensed to be at large.

Senate bill No. 380 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of Act No. 88 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act requiring corporations doing business in this State, whose principal offices are out of the State, to keep a list of their stockholders and a transfer book within this State," being section 4900 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

House bill No. 327 (file No. 128), entitled

A bill to authorize the State board of education to grant teachers' certificates in certain cases.

House bill No. 379 (file No. 289), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 39 of acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1855, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of institutions of learning," approved Feb. 9, 1855, as amended by act No. 99 of public acts of 1885, the same being section No. 4378 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the visiting of institutions of learning.

House bill No. 556 (file No. 317), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 150 of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act No. 187 of the session laws of 1859; act No. 187 of the session laws 1861; act No. 138 of the session laws of 1871; act No. 197 of the session laws of 1873, and act No. 277 of the public acts of 1881, relative to the salaries of judges of probate, the same being, as so amended, sections 9012 and 9013 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 88), entitled

A bill to protect State charitable and reformatory institutions from the introduction of contageous and infectious diseases and from the expense of the transmittal of epileptics.

Senate bill 265 (file number 249), entitled

A bill specifying duties of health authorities, providing for a public sanitary meeting annually in each township, city and village, and for the adoption of estimates for ordinary sanitary work and expenditures.

Senate bill No. 93 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to protect toilers against unjust demands of employers of labor; to give redress to employés discharged in certain cases, and to punish employers, their agents, clerks and servants for any violation of this act.

Senate bill No. 420 (file No. 247), entiled

A bill to regulate the length of time which shall be a day's labor by certain employés on railroads in this State, and to provide for *pro rata* compensation for extra services in addition to their daily compensation.

Senate bill No. 454 (file No. 194), entitled

A bill to prevent any person or employer of labor to coerce or prevent employés from joining or belonging to any lawfully organized labor organizations and to provide a punishment therefor.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 746 (file No. 322), entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Alpena to raise money for the purchase of or the erection and maintenance of water works.

House bill No. 862 (file No. 286), entitled

A bill to prohibit catching or taking fish in Maple river and tributary streams in any other manner than with hook and line.

House bill No. 354 (file No. 199), entitled

A bill to provide for an approval fee for approving articles of incorporation, renewal or amendment to the charters of mutual insurance companies.

House bill No. 310 (file No. 188), entitled

A bill to promote and encourage the agricultural development of lands in the upper peninsula, to authorize the formation of corporations for acquiring, holding, leasing and selling real estate and for the erection of buildings and for the borrowing and loaning of money for all purposes connected with the development of said lands.

Senate bill No. 213 (file No. 139), entitled

A bill to provide that the division of the league of American wheelmen and the branches thereof, known as clubs of the State of Michigan, may be incorporated.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

III.

Senate bill No. 352, entitled

A bill to amend sections 5, 14, 21, 24, 25, 26 and 29 of an act entitled "An act relating to burying grounds," approved February 12, 1855, being sections 4732, 4741, 4748, 4751, 4752, 4753 and 4756 of Howell's annotated statutes and to add a new section to said act.

Senate bill No. 277 (file No. 106), entitled

A bill to amend sections 6 and 7 of act No. 200, of the session laws of 1885, being "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons," approved June 17, 1885.

House bill No. 546 (file No. 239), entitled

A bill to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes or ladders, for the passage of fish through dams across the Muskegon river and its tributaries.

Have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the bill be laid on the table.

IV.

Senate bill No. 234 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments, of this State, to provide for the inspection and regulation of such manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the enforcement of such regulation and inspection.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

FRANK W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills, and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the recommendation of the committee regarding the third named bills, and the same were laid on the table.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made to the fourth named bill by the committee (except the amendment in line 1 of section 2, by striking out the word "fourteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twelve"),

The Senate concurred.

The question then being in the above named amendment to line 1 of section 2 of the bill,

Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays thereon, and

The Senate did not concur, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Pierce	
French	Mellen	Sabin	
Garvelink			7

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Crane	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Doran	Mugford	
Clapp	Hough	Steel	
Clark	McGinley	Weiss	12

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 234. By Mr. Doran: Petition of Post E, Michigan Knights of the Grip.

To the Honorable Senate of the State of Michigan:

GENTLEMEN—At the last meeting of this Post, held Saturday evening, May 13, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we heartily commend Senate bill No. 218, now before the Legislature, prohibiting the lowering of upper berths in sleeping cars on occupants of lower berths unless the same are occupied by bona fide purchasers.

Resolved, That we earnestly request our Senators and Representatives to work and vote for this measure.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. BLAKE, *Secretary.*

Referred to the committee on Railroads.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

By the committee on Elections:

The committee on Elections, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 92, entitled

A bill to amend sections 43, 44, 45, 46, 47 and 48, title 3, chapter 6 of the compiled laws of 1891, being consecutive sections 179, 180, 181, 182, 183 and 184 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State, relative to the "county canvass, etc.," of votes cast at general elections in this State.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 669 (file No. 339), entitled

A bill to authorize the payment of money due to estates of deceased persons to the county treasurer in certain cases.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 637 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill appropriating money for building, repairs and other necessary improvements at the State Prison at Jackson,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on State Prison.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 244 (file No. 281), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 1, sections 7, 8 and 14 of chapter 3, section 6 of chapter 6, section 1 of chapter 8, and to add a new section to chapter 6, to stand as section 16 of act number 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 667 (file No. 372), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 and 8 of act number 49 of the public acts of 1891, being an act entitled "An act to amend sections 6 and 8 of act number 136 of the public acts of 1885, being an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, compensation and duties of a stenographer for the sixteenth judicial circuit.'"

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 379 (file No. 244), entitled

A bill to amend sections 38, 39 and 40 of chapter 192 of compiled laws of 1871 (chapter 266 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan), being sections 7697, 7698 and 7699 of Howell's Annotated Statutes of the State of Michigan.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

(1) By striking out enacting section one and inserting the following in lieu thereof:

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact,* That sections 38, 39 and 40, of chapter 106 of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled "Judgments and executions," being sections 7697, 7698 and 7699, of Howell's annotated statutes, be amended so as to read as follows:

Also, amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 38, 39 and 40, of chapter 106, of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled "Judgments and executions, being sections 7697, 7698 and 7699, of Howell's annotated statutes.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, and with the title thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Clapp	French	Pierce	
Crane	Garvelink	Sabin	
Doran	Hough	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	18

NAYS. 0

The question then being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title of the bill,

The Senate concurred.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 657 (file No. 174), entitled

A bill to prohibit the employment of minors in certain occupations within the State.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Labor interests.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 339 (file No. 344), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of seats in theaters, concert or lecture halls and other places of public entertainment," approved February 14, 1877.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Horticulture.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 788 (file No. 341), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the uniform division of the Knights of the Maccabees.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Religious and benevolent societies.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 345 (file No. 167), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of establishing scholarships in the University of Michigan for the benefit of graduates of the high schools of this State.

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of establishing scholarships in the University of Michigan, for the benefit of graduates of the high schools of this State.

In the passage of which, as thus substituted, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the substitute made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	French	Mugford	
Clark	Garvelink	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	18

NAYS.

Mr. Earle 1

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit to the Senate the following bill:

House bill No. 713 (file No. 359), entitled

A bill to provide for the proof of instruments purporting to be executed by any corporation, joint stock company or partnership association, limited, foreign or domestic, under its common seal.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Banks and corporations:

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 830 (file No. 354), entitled

A bill to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a pardoning board, prescribing the powers and duties, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 804 (file No. 337), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 32 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 1348 of said compilation, as amended by various acts of the Legislature, the same being section 1477 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan as amended by act number 102 of the public acts of 1891 relative to town plats.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Counties and townships.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 18, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 362 (file No. 366), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of act number 174 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to amend sections 7, 30, 36 and 41 of article 2, and sections 3 and 5 of article 3, and section 14 or article 4, and to add two new sections to article 2 to stand as sections 45 and 46, and a new section to article 5 to stand as section 22 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads, and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,'" approved May 1, 1873, being act number 198, session laws 1873 as amended by act number 174 of the public acts of 1891.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and referred to the committee on Railroads.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 555 (file No. 162), entitled

A bill to regulate the construction of the tracks of railaoads and street railroads across each other, and the stringing of wires, electric or other

over railroad tracks, and relative to the maintenance of such tracks heretofore so constructed and wires heretofore so strung.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Railroads.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 587 (file No. 326), entitled

A bill to amend section 45 of act No. 137 of the session laws of 1887, said act being "An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of chapter 170 of the compiled laws of Michigan of 1871, being compiler's 6231 and 6232 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to divorce, and to add three new sections to said chapter, to stand as sections 44, 45 and 46," the same being section 6263b of 3d annotated statutes,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 668 (file No. 331), entitled

A bill to amend section 7 of chapter 2, section 20 of chapter 3, section 8 of chapter 6, sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 of chapter 8, section 3, chapter 9, of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor," approved June 20, 1885, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Jewell asked and obtained consent to have printed in the Journal the following:

Proposed substitute for Senate bill No. 433.

[Original introduced by Senator Jewell.]

Ordered printed for use of special committee on Railroad taxation.

Lansing, May 17, 1893.

A bill to provide for the taxation and collection of taxes of persons, companies, associations and corporations, whether located within or without this State, engaged in running palace, drawing room or sleeping cars, over or upon any railroad situated wholly, or partly within this State.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact,* That every corporation, joint stock association, limited, partnership or company whatsoever now or hereafter organized or incorporated in this State, or elsewhere, and having a part or all of its capital invested in and being now or hereafter engaged in running any kind of palace, drawing room or sleeping cars over or upon any railroad or railroads wholly or partly within this State by contract or arrangement with any owner, lessee, manager or receiver of such railroad shall, on or before the first day of April, 1894, and on or before the first day of April in each year thereafter, make to the Commissioner of Railroads of this State a report, on blanks to be furnished by said commissioner, of the entire number of miles of railroad within and the number of miles of railroad without this State upon or over which said corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership or company ran such cars during the year ending with January first last before making such report. And said Commissioner of Railroads may require that said report shall give the names of all railroad companies over whose roads such cars have been run as aforesaid, and of which report is required to be made by this section. And said report shall further state the amount of cost and value of all palace, drawing room and sleeping cars, with all bedding, furniture and fixtures owned or possessed by it on said first day of January, and also the cost and value of all palace, drawing room and sleeping cars, and the amount and value of all bedding, furniture and fixtures therein or pertaining thereto used within the State of Michigan during the preceding year; and the said report shall further state as follows, to wit, namely:

First, The total authorized capital stock of such corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership or company;

Second, The total authorized number of shares of such stock;

Third, Number of shares of stock issued;

Fourth, Par value of each share;

Fifth, Amount paid into the treasury on each share;

Sixth, Amount of capital paid in.

Seventh, Highest price of sales of stock during the year ending with and including December thirty-first last before making such report;

Eighth, Average price of sales of stock during said year;

Ninth, the actual value of the entire capital stock and property of such corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership or company;

Tenth, The value of all of the property of every kind and description belonging to such corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership or company, used in the State of Michigan during the year preceding the said first day of January.

And said report shall contain correct and true answers to any and all other questions which may be therein propounded by said Commissioner of Railroads in any way relating to said business of said corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership or company: *Provided*, That the provisions of this section shall not apply to drawing room, palace or sleeping cars which are the sole aad exclusive property of any railroad company paying taxes in this State on its gross receipts when run over its own line or lines, nor to palace, drawing room or sleeping cars which are the sole and exclusive property of any railroad company paying taxes under the general railroad laws of this State, nor under any special act or acts of incorporation or consolidation enacted by the legislature of this State, when said cars are run over the line or lines of such railroad company.

SEC. 2. The reports required to be made by section one of this act shall be verified in case of corporations by the oath of the president and secretary thereof, and by the oath or oaths of such other person or persons as said commissioner in his discretion may require; and in case of companies, joint stock associations or limited partnerships, by the oaths of their principals, agents and accountants, as required by said commissioner.

SEC. 3. Every corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership and company from which a report is required to be made by section 1 of this act shall, on or before the first day of July in the year 1894, and on or before the first day of July in each and every year thereafter, pay to the State Treasurer upon the statement of the Auditor General, an annual tax of six mills on each dollar of that part of the actual value of its whole capital stock of all kinds, including common, special and preferred, invested or used in the State of Michigan during the year preceding the first day of January aforesaid; and in case some of the property liable to assessment in the State of Michigan is used part of the year within the State and part of the year without the State, or in case the railroads on which such property is used are situated partly within and partly without the State, the amount of taxable property or taxes may be ascertained by taking as a basis the proportion of the value of its entire capital stock which the number of miles of railroad on which said corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership or company, ran cars in Michigan in the preceding year, shall bear to the number of miles of railroad on which it ran cars in the United States of America in said year: *Provided*, That for the purpose of this act interest in limited partnerships, joint stock associations or companies shall be deemed to be capital stock and taxable accordingly.

SEC. 4. The Commissioner of Railroads shall, on or before the 15th day of May, 1894, and on or before the 15th day of May in each and every year thereafter make and file with the Auditor General a computation according to the provisions of this act of the amount of tax which will be due on the first day of July next following from each corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership and company liable to pay taxes under the provisions of this act; and any such corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership or company which shall neglect or refuse for sixty days to make the report required by section one of this act, or which shall make a false report, shall be liable to a penalty of $500, to be recovered in an action of debt. And it shall be the duty of the Auditor General and he is hereby required in case such corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership or company incurs the penalty aforesaid, to sue for the same in any court of competent jurisdiction.

The collection of such penalty shall not absolve such corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership or company from making the report and payment of the taxes as herein provided.

Any suit brought by the Auditor General for the recovery of the penalty aforesaid shall be commenced in the name of the people of the State of Michigan, and the summons for the commencement of such suit may be served upon the conductor or other person who is in charge of any palace, dining-room or sleeping car in this State belonging to any corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership, company or person violating the provisions of section one of this act relative to making reports.

SEC. 5. The State shall have a lien upon all the property of every limited partnership company, association or corporation mentioned in section one of this act for all taxes herein imposed, and for interest thereon, and for penalty for delay in payment thereof, and for all dues which may accrue to the State from said corporation, joint stock association, limited partnership or company, which lien of the State shall take precedence of demands, judgments, decrees or other liens of whatever character.

SEC. 6. In case of failure to make report as required, and within the time limited in section one of this act, it shall be the duty of said Commissioner of Railroads to make known such fact to the Auditor General, and the Auditor General is hereby required to proceed to assess and collect the taxes according to the provisions of act number 226 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act to provide for the collection of specific taxes from corporations, co-partnerships, parties or persons subject under any laws of this State to the payment of such taxes; to fix the time when such taxes become a lien upon the property of such corporation, co-partnership, parties or persons, and to define the property to which the lien shall attach, and to repeal act number fifty-seven of the session laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-two, approved March twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, and acts numbered ten and eleven of the session laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, approved February fourteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, being sections numbered twelve hundred and forty-nine to twelve hundred and fifty-six, both inclusive, of Howell's annotated statutes of eighteen hundred and eighty-two:" *Provided*, That in all cases where execution shall issue to enforce any of the provisions of said act 226 when used to enforce the provisions of this act, and in all cases where execution shall issue to enforce the provisions of any other act or acts when the same shall be invoked to enforce any of the provisions of this act, such execution or executions may be directed to the sheriff of any county of this State through which any of the cars used for the purpose mentioned in section one of this act may pass, anything in this act or any law of this State to the contrary, notwithstanding.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

AFTER RECESS.

8 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Doran moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 243 (file No. 254), entitled

A bill to provide for the enrollment, organization, equipment, maintenance and discipline of the naval militia of the State.

And that the bill be placed on the order of third reading of bills,

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 227, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of the State officers named in the constitution of this State,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Crane	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Pascoe	
Doran	McGinley	Pierce	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Steel	
French	Mellen	Turnbull	
Hough	Morrow	Weiss	15

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Garvelink	2

Mr. Doran moved to reconsider the vote by which the senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 381 (file No. 303), entitled

A bill to provide a penalty for malicious injury to or use of telegraph and telephone instruments and the authorized reading or copying of messages therefrom,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	French	Mugford	
Clapp	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clark	Hough	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Sabin	
Doran	McGinley	Steel	
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fleshiem.	Mellen	Weiss	24

NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 285 (file No. 297), entitled

An act to amend section 2 of act No. 176 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act for the organization of township school districts in the upper peninsula," approved June 30, 1891,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Champion	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Doran	McGinley	Steel	
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss	
Fox	Morrow		23
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 260 (file No. 294), entitled

A bill for the incorporation of the Ladies' Aid Society, auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans of the United States of America, Division of Michigan, and of subordinate societies thereof,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	French	Morrow	
Clapp	Garvelink	Mugford	
Clark	Gibson	Pierce	
Crane	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	24
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 51 (file No. 293), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 232 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of all manufacturing companies, except such as are contemplated by act No. 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manufacture of salt, and mercantile companies, or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations," as amended by act No. 170 of the public acts of 1889, being chapter 124*a* of third Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan by adding thereto one new section to be known as section 38,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Clark moved to amend the bill by striking out in line 8 of section 38 the word "eight," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six,"

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pierce	
Champion	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Pascoe		17

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Mugford	3

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 188 (file No. 250), entitled

A bill to amend section 55 of act number 205 of the public acts of this State for the year A. D. 1887, entitled "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," approved June 21, 1887,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Steel moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Doran, Mears, Hopkins, McLaughlin and Sawyer.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Mears from this evening's session.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Doran at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

Mr. Doran was admitted within the bar excused, and took his seat.

The bill was then passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	French	Morrow	
Champion	Garvelink	Mugford	
Clapp	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clark	Gilbert	Pierce	
Crane	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	27

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Steel moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 10, 29 and 55 of act No. 205 of the public acts of this State for the year A. D. 1887, entitled "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business, approved June 21, 1887,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 278 (file No. 78), entitled

A bill to provide for the extension of the terms of existence of corporations or associations organized under act number eighty-seven of acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1855, approved February 12, 1855, entitled "An act relating to burying grounds," and amendments thereto, the corporate term of existence of which has heretofore expired, or may hereafter expire by limitation, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations or associations,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford	
Clapp	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Crane	Hough	Pierce	
Doran	Jewell	Sabin	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mellen	Weiss	24

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Sabin moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the extension of the term of existence of corporations or associations organized under act No. 87 of acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1855, approved February 12, 1855, entitled "An act relating to burying grounds," or under said act as amended the corporate term of existence of which has heretofore expired, or may hereafter expire by limitation, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations or associations,

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Senate bill No. 411 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill for the ascertainment and protection of the interests of the State in escheated estates.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion did not prevail.

Sentate bill No. 278 (file No. 107), entitled

A bill defining the position, and to provide for the treatment of convicts licensed to be at large.

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Fleshiem	Hough	Steel	
Fox	Jewell	Weiss	
French	McGinley		11

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Sabin	2

The president directed the Secretary to enter upon the Journal a statement of the fact that Senators Barnard, Clark, McLaughlin, Mellen and Mugford were present and in their seats during the last roll call and that they, with those who answered to their names, constituted a quorum of the Senate.

Mr. Fox moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Pierce, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, It appearing to the satisfaction of the Senate that a large number of corporations required by the laws of the State to file annual reports in offices of the Secretary of State and Auditor General, or one of such offices, have not complied with such provisions of the laws of this State; and,

WHEREAS, It further appearing to the satisfaction of the Senate that the charters of a large number of the corporations organized under the laws of the State have expired by limitation; and

WHEREAS, It further appearing to the satisfaction of the Senate that a considerable number of corporations required to pay specific taxes in this State, are delinquent in the payment thereof; therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), that the Attorney General be requested to proceed against such corporations, or persons exercising corporate privileges and franchises, by such proceeding in the courts of this State as shall be suitable in the premises and as he shall deem necessary to protect the interests of the State of Michigan,

Which resolution was adopted.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning out and deepening Black river, in Sanilac county, for sanitary purposes, and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of the State Board of Health,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,
The bill was laid on the table.
By the committee on Insurance:
The committee on Insurance, to whom was referred
House bill No. 202 (file No. 198), entitled
A bill to amend section 22 of act No. 38 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to amend act No. 82 of the session laws of 1873," approved April 15, 1873, by adding one new section thereto to stand as section 22, providing for the organization of mutual fire insurance companies to insure property in cities and villages exclusively,
Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.
The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.
By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 327 (file No. 128), entitled
A bill authorizing the trustees of certain colleges within the State of Michigan to give teachers' certificates.
Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe
Champion	Hough	Sabin
Clapp	Jewell	Steel
Crane	McGinley	Weiss
Fleshiem		16

NAYS.

Mr. Earle	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Pierce
Gibson		4

Mr. Brundage moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,
Which motion prevailed.
The question being on the passage of the bill,
On motion of Mr. Brundage,
The bill was laid on the table.
Mr. McGinley moved that the Senate adjourn.
Which motion prevailed, and
The President declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Tuesday, May 23, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 235. By Mr. Sabin: Petition of Bishop George Gillespie with reference to taxation of parochial schools.

To the Honorable the Legislature of Michigan:

The undersigned noticing that in the bill before your honorable body, providing for taxation, parochial schools, diocesan schools, and colleges are included, beg leave to represent that such institutions are commonly patronized by citizens who have already met the demands of the State for support of common schools.

Second, That the existence of such schools and colleges is one of conviction and preference, which the State is bound to respect.

Third and further, And especially, to locality not permitting the parents and guardians to secure for their children the educational advantages they desire.

Fourth, Also that such institutions are not commonly remunerative beyond expenses, and generally need constant outside aid.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. GILLESPIE.

Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in Western Michigan.

Grand Rapids, May 18, 1893.

Referred to the committee on taxation.

No. 236. By Mr. McLaughlin: Communication of Rev. Samuel Plantz relative to the barber bill, as follows:

125 Howard St., Detroit, Mich., May 22, 1893.

State Senate, Lansing, Mich.:

The Tabernacle Methodist Church of Detroit wishes to petition the Senate to pass the bill relating to the closing of barber shops on Sunday. They do this in the interests of the laboring men who are now unnecessarily deprived both of rest and religious privileges.

Respectfully yours,

SAMUEL PLANTZ, *Pastor.*

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Religious and benevolent societies:

The committee on Religious and benevolent societies, to whom was referred

House bill No. 788 (file No. 341), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the uniform division of the Knights of the Maccabees,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without

amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 123 (file No. 340), entitled

A bill to provide the manner of proving the breeding of horses.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Agricultural interests.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 273 (file No. 95), entitled

A bill to authorize the city of Detroit to acquire land outside of the limits of said city, for use as public parks, public grounds and boulevards and to regulate and improve the same.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Hough moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. French, Hopkins, McGinley and Sawyer.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. McGinley at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

Mr. McGinley was admitted within the bar, excused, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Hopkins at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

Mr. Hopkins was admitted within the bar, excused, and took his seat.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. McLaughlin moved that leave be granted to himself to offer the following amendment to the bill:

By inserting after the word "city" in line 1, section 3, the words "with the consent of the public lighting commission, the fire department, the water board, and the board of public works respectively, which boards shall have control of such extensions the same as if within the city."

And demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The amendment then was not received, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. McLaughlin	
Clapp	Jewell	Steel	
Garvelink	McGinley	Turnbull	9

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pierce	
Clark	Mellen	Sabin	
Fox	Mugford	Weiss	
Gibson	Pascoe		11

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. McGinley	
Brundage	French	Mellen	
Clapp	Garvelink	Morrow	
Clark	Gibson	Mugford	
Crane	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Doran	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Hough	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Weiss	24

NAYS.

Mr. McLaughlin	1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 380 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act number 88 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act requiring corporations doing business in this State whose principal offices are out of the State, to keep a list of their stockholders and a transfer book within this State," being section 4900 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows;

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Champion	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clapp	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clark	Hough	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
Doran	Mears	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss	
Fox			25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Mr. Turnbull, by unanimous consent,
Moved to take from the table,
Senate substitute for House bill No. 327 (file No. 128), entitled
A bill to authorize the State Board of Education to grant teachers' certificates in certain cases,
Which motion prevailed.
The bill having been read a third time and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,
Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the bill as follows:
By inserting in line 7, of section 1, after the word "Michigan" the words "upon the recommendation from the faculty of such college, stating that in their judgment the applicant is entitled to receive such certificate,"
Which motion prevailed,
And the bill was so amended.
The question being on the passage of the bill.
The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Hopkins	Mugford	
Clapp	Hough	Pascoe	
Crane	Jewell	Sabin	
Doran	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fox	Mears	Weiss	
French			22

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Gilbert	Pierce	
Earle	Mellen		5

Title agreed to.
On motion of Mr. Garvelink,
By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senaters elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.
House bill No. 174, entitled
A bill to provide for the location, establishment and organization of an asylum for the insane in the upper peninsula.
Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Doran	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Mugford	
Fleshiem	Hough	Pascoe	
French	McGinley	Pierce	
Garvelink	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Gibson	Mellen	Weiss	
Gilbert	Morrow		17

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Clapp	Mr. Jewell	
Brundage	Fox	Sabin	6

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 379 (file No. 289), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 39 of acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1855, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of institutions of learning," approved February 9, 1855, as amended by act No. 99 of public acts of 1885, the same being section No. 4378 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the visiting of institutions of learning.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Sabin	
Doran	McGinley	Steel	
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss	
Garvelink	Morrow	Wilkins	21

NAYS. 0

Tite agreed to.

House bill No. 556 (file No. 317), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 150 of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act No. 187 of the session laws of 1859; act No. 187 of the session laws of 1861; act No. 138 of the session laws of 1871; act No. 197 of the session laws of 1873, and act No. 277 of the public acts of 1881, relative to the salaries of judges of probate, the same being as so amended, sections 9012 and 9013 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mears	
Crane	Gilbert	Mugford	
Doran	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Fleshiem	Hough	Pierce	
Fox	Jewell	Sabin	
French	McGinley	Weiss	
Garvelink	McLaughlin	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Morrow	
Clark			4

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 88,) entitled

A bill to protect State charitable and reformatory institutions from the introduction of contagious and infectious diseases and from the expense of the transmittal of epileptics.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Morrow moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting after the word "child" wherever it appears in the bill the words "or person,"

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was so amended.

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

The bill was referred to the committee on Public health.

Senate bill No. 265 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill specifying duties of health authorities, providing for a public sanitary meeting annually in each township, city and village, and for the adoption of estimates for ordinary sanitary work and expenditures.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fox	McGinley	Weiss	
French	Morrow	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Pascoe		17

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Mugford	
Mears			4

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 93 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to protect toilers against unjust demands of employers of labor; to give redress to employés discharged in certain cases, and to punish employers, their agents, clerks and servants for any violation of this act.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe	
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Hough	Steel	
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull	
Dorán	Morrow	Weiss	
Garvelink	Mugford	Wilkins	21

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

The President having called the President *pro tem.* to the chair,

Senate bill No. 420 (file No. 247), entitled

A bill to regulate the length of time which shall be a day's labor by certain employés on railroads in this State, and to provide for *pro rata* compensation for extra services in addition to their daily compensation.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Steel
Brundage	Gibson	Turnbull
Champion	Hough	Weiss
Clapp	McGinley	Wilkins
Crane	Morrow	President *pro tem.*
Doran	Pascoe	17

NAYS.

Mr. Mugford	Mr. Sabin	2

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 454 (file No. 194), entitled

A bill to prevent any person or employer of labor to coerce or prevent employés from joining or belonging to any lawfully organized labor organizations and to provide a punishment therefor.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin
Champion	Gibson	Steel
Clapp	Gilbert	Turnbull
Clark	Hough	Weiss
Crane	Morrow	Wilkins
Doran	Mugford	President *pro tem.*
Fox		22

NAYS.

Mr. Mellen	1

Title agree to.

House bill No. 746 (file No. 322), entitled

An act to authorize the city of Alpena to raise money for the purchase of or the erection and maintenance of water-works.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe
Burt	Gibson	Pierce
Champion	Jewell	Sabin
Clapp	McGinley	Steel
Clark	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Crane	Mears	Weiss
Doran	Mellen	Wilkins
Fleshiem	Morrow	President *pro tem.*
Fox		28

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 234 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments of this State, to provide for the inspection and regulation of such manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the enforcement of such regulation and inspection.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Brundage moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Hough, McLaughlin, Fleshiem and Sawyer.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. McLaughlin at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

Mr. McLaughlin was admitted within the bar, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Fleshiem at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

Mr. Fleshiem was admitted within the bar, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Hough at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Mr. Hough was admitted within the bar, rendered an excuse, and took his seat.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Gilbert	Pierce	
Champion	Hough	Sabin	
Clapp	Jewell	Steel	
Clark	McGinley	Turnbull	
Crane	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Doran	Mears	Wilkins	
French	Morrow	President *pro tem.*	
Garvelink			25

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Mellen	3

Title agreed to.

Mr. Doran by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 227, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of the State officers named in the constitution of this State,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pierce
Crane	McGinley	Steel
Doran	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Fleshiem	Mellen	Weiss
French	Morrow	Wilkins
Gibson	Mugford	President *pro tem.*
Gilbert	Pascoe	20

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Clark	Mr. Sabin 3

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 243 (file No. 254), entitled

A bill to provide for the enrollment, organization, equipment, maintenance and discipline of the naval militia of the State.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Doran moved to amend the bill:

1. By striking out of section 16 all after the word "headquarters" in line 5.

2. By striking out of line 4 of section 28 the word "brigade" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "batallion,"

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was so amended.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill as amended was then passed a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Hough	Pierce
Champion	Jewell	Sabin
Crane	McGinley	Steel
Doran	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss
French	Mellen	Wilkins
Garvelink	Morrow	President *pro tem* 24

NAYS.

Mr. Burt 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 587 (file No. 326), entitled

A bill to amend section 45 of act number 137 of the session laws of 1887, said act being "An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of chapter 170 of the compiled laws of Michigan of 1871, being compiler's sections 6231 and 6232 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to divorce, and to add 3 new sections to said chapter, to stand as sections 44, 45 and 46," the same being section 6263*b* of 3d Howell's annotated statutes.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 306, entitled

A bill to provide for taking the census and statistics of this State.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, being Senate file No. 240, entitled

A bill to provide for taking a census of the population and industries of this State.

Without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 345 (file No. 167), being

An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of establishing scholarships in the University of Michigan for the benefit of graduates of the high schools of this State.

Senate bill No. 379 (file No. 244), being

An act to amend sections 38, 39 and 40 of chapter 192 of compiled laws of 1871 (chapter 266 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan), being sections 7697, 7698 and 7699 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 89, being

An act making it unlawful to take fish from Diamond lake in Cass county, in December, January, February or March, and to fix a penalty therefor.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

Senate bill No. 341, entitled

A bill to vacate the 16th judicial circuit and to reorganize the 31st judicial circuit.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to require the judge of the 16th judicial circuit to hold terms of court of the 31st judicial circuit in certain cases, and also to require the judge of 31st judicial circuit to hold the terms of the 16th judicial circuit when the resident judge may be disqualified from acting on the trial, or whenever the expedition of the business of either of said circuits may necessitate additional assistance.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Fox	Mellen	
Burt	French	Mugford	
Champion	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	McGinley	Weiss	
Doran	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. French,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 583 (file No. 346), entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for the prevention of cruelty to children.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNAND, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 584 (file No. 358), entitled

A bill to provide a penalty for cruelty to children.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 335, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 87 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the appropriation of money to pay the salary of the Attorney General, clerks and certain expenses in such department, and to provide the manner and condition of payment and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject, Senators Sawyer and Fox dissenting.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order without printing.

By the special committee on Municipal corporations:

The special committee on Municipal corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 529 (file No. 332), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a commission to prepare and report a general municipal corporation bill, under which all municipalities may become incorporated, and to prescribe their duties and provide for their compensation.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. L. BRUNDAGE, *Acting Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Roads and bridges:

The committee on Roads and bridges, to whom was referred

House bill No. 474, entitled

A bill to provide for a county and township system of roads, and to prescribe the powers and duties of the officers having the charge thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. MEARS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Supplies and expenses:

The committee on Supplies and expenses, to whom was referred the following account:

Charles Hasse, for fountain pen for engrossing and enrolling clerk, $3.00.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommended that the account be allowed.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and adopted.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 218 (file No. 84), entitled

A bill in relation to the manner of keeping upper berths in any sleeping car run or operated upon any railroad in this State, and to provide a penalty for any violation thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 218 (file No. 324), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of act No. 39 of the session laws of 1889, approved April 4, 1889, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purchase and improvement of grounds to be occupied for summer houses, for camp meetings, for meetings and assemblies of associations and societies, organized for intellectual and scientific culture and for the promotion of the cause of religion and morality, or for any

or all of said purposes," being section 3983*e* 4, of Howell's annotated statutes, volume 3.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the special committee on Railroad taxation:

The special committee on Railroad taxation, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 433, entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of any and every person, company, association or corporation, whether located within or without this State, that owns or is interested in and engaged in running sleeping cars, or any kind of passenger, freight or stock cars over or upon any railroad wholly or partly within this State, which cars are not the sole and exclusive property of the owners or lessees of such railroad, and for the occupancy or use of which cars charges are made additional to the ordinary fares or tolls charged by the owners or lessees of such railroad, and to prescribe penalties and means to enforce the provisions of this act, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with said provisions.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation and collection of taxes of persons, companies, associations and corporations, whether located within or without this State, engaged in running palace, drawing room or sleeping cars over or upon any railroad situated wholly or partly within this State.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

F. W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Counties and townships:

The committee on Counties and townships, to whom was referred

House bill No. 804 (file No. 337), entitled

A bill to amend section five of chapter thirty-two of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 1348 of said compilation, as amended by various acts of the Legislature, the same being section 1477 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended by act number one hundred and two of the public acts of 1891 relative to town plats.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee of Conference:

The committee of Conference, to whom was referred

Senate joint resolution No. 15, entitled

A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate, examine, settle and pay any claim found to be due the Presque Isle lumber company of Hammond's bay, Presque Isle county, Michigan, against the State of Michigan for damages or compensation arising from the seizure by the trespass agents of the State of Michigan, of a certain lot of cedar cut by it on portions of the northeast quarter of section 35 north of range 2 east, claimed by the said trespass agents to have been a trespass upon the State lands.

Which the House amended as follows:

By striking from the end of the resolution the words "but not to exceed seven hundred dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "*Provided*, That nothing shall be allowed beyond the amount of property or money actually received or appropriated by the State."

In which the Senate non-concurred.

Whereupon, the House insisted, and asked for a committee of conference, which was granted.

Respectfully report that they have had under consideration the matters of differences between the two houses, and respectfully recommend that from its said amendments the House recede and that in the adoption of the recommendation both houses concur, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WILLIAM MEARS,
J. D. TURNBULL,
Members of Committee on part of the Senate.

A. R. BLAKLEY,
GEO. G. COVELL,
P. B. WACHTEL,
Members of Committee on part of the House.

The report was laid on the table.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 713 (file No. 359), entitled "A bill to provide for the proof of instruments purporting to be executed by any corporation, joint stock company or partnership association, limited, foreign or domestic, under its common seal.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Mr. Weiss, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Judiciary committee be discharged from the further consderation of

House bill No. 257 (file No. 172)

Known as the barber's Sunday closing law.

Pending which,

Mr. Clark moved that the committee be instructed to report the above named bill to the Senate tomorrow afternoon.

On which motion Mr. Gibson demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Clark then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	French	Steel	
Clark	Garvelink	Wilkins	
Crane	Hopkins		11

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	McLaughlin	Sabin	
Gibson	Mugford	Turnbull	
Hough	Pascoe	Weiss	12

The question then recurring on the original resolution,

Mr. Gibson demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The resolution then was not adopted, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Pascoe	
Gibson	McLaughlin	Sabin	
Gilbert	Morrow	Turnbull	
Hough	Mugford	Weiss	12

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	French	Pierce	
Clapp	Garvelink	Steel	
Crane	Hopkins	Wilkins	
Fleshiem	Mears		14

Mr. McLaughlin then moved the committee on Judiciary be instructed to report the above named bill to the Senate at tomorrow morning session.

Which motion prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Pascoe	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Sabin	
Gibson	Morrow	Turnbull	
Gilbert	Mugford	Weiss	
Hough			13

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Wilkins	
Crane			10

Mr. Clapp by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on Judiciary and railroads be discharged from the further consideration of

Senate substitute for Senate bills Nos. 151 and 170 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill to determine, extend and fix the liability of railroad corporations and companies, for personal injuries to employes.

And report the same to the Senate tomorrow morning.

On which resolution he demanded the yeas and nays.

The resolution was then adopted.

A majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Champion	Gibson	Mugford
Clapp	Gilbert	Pierce
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin
Crane	Hough	Steel
Fleshiem	Mears	Turnbull
Fox	Mellen	Wilkins
French		22

NAYS. 0

Mr. Clark moved that the several committees of the Senate be instructed to report out the several bills in their possession and that the bills be referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. McGinley, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning out and deepening Black river in Sanilac county, for sanitary purposes and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of the State board of health.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Weiss moved that the bill be referred to the committee on Horticulture,

Which motion did not prevail.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was then referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

Mr. Sabin, by unanimous consent, offered the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, There was levied upon the State lands connected with the Eastern Michigan Asylum for Insane, an assessment of about eleven hundred and seventy-five dollars as the proportionate share of benefits to said property by reason of the establishment and construction of a county drain known as the Pontiac creek drain; and

WHEREAS, The Auditor General has declined to issue his warrant on the State Treasurer for the amount of tax so assessed against said asylum lands as certified to him, on the ground that the statute (I How. An. St. section 1711) only applied to lands in the market and for sale; and

WHEREAS, The State has received the benefit of the construction of said drain and about forty acres of land belonging thereto have been reclaimed and made valuable thereby, and the men who performed the labor are justly and equitably entitled to their pay; therefore

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Michigan Asylum for the Insane be and they are hereby authorized to pay the amount of the taxes and fees so assessed, and upon the tax roll of 1892 of the fourth ward of the city of Pontiac, against said asylum property on account of the construction of said drain, not exceeding twelve hundred dollars, the same to be paid out of any funds belonging to said institution.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The resolution was referred to the committee on Asylums for the insane.

Mr. Burt, by unanimous consent, moved that a respectful message be sent to the House, asking the return to the Senate of

House bill No. 174, entitled

A bill to provide for the location, establishment and organization of an asylum for the insane in the upper peninsula.

Pending which,

Mr. Fleshiem moved that the motion of Mr. Burt be laid on the table, and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion of Mr. Fleshiem then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Doran	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pascoe	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Pierce	
Gibson	Mellen	Turnbull	
Gilbert	Mugford	Wilkins	
Hopkins			13

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Clapp	Mr. Jewell	
Brundage	Clark	McLaughlin	
Burt	Crane	Sabin	
Champion	Fox	Steel	12

And the motion of Mr. Burt was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 22, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate regarding the following joint resolution:

Senate joint resolution No. 15, entitled

A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate, examine, settle and pay any claim found to be due the Presque Isle lumber company, of Hammonds Bay, Presque Isle county, Michigan, against the State of Michigan for damages or compensation arising from the seizure by the trespass agents of the State of Michigan, of a certain lot of cedar cut by it on portions of the northeast quarter of section 35 north of range 2 east, claimed by the said trespass agents to have been a trespass upon the State lands.

Which the House amended as follows:

By striking from the end of the resolution the words "but not to exceed seven hundred dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "*Provided*, That nothing shall be allowed beyond the amount of property or money actually received or appropriated by the State."

In which said amendment the Senate non-concurred; whereupon the House insisted and asked for a committee of conference.

Which the Senate granted and now to inform the Senate that Messrs. Blakley, Covell and Wachtel have been appointed such committee on the part of the House.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 565, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 9 of act No. 249 of the local acts of 1871, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Alpena" approved March 29, 1871 as amended and to add a new section to stand as section No. 95.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 454 (file No. 376), entitled

A bill to authorize the cities and villages of this State which own and operate electric light works for the purpose of lighting their streets and other public places, to furnish and supply electric light to the inhabitants of such cities and villages.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 819 (file No. 380), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purpose of marking the position of Daniel's Michigan battery and the four companies of Michigan troops in the United States sharpshooters on the "Highwater mark" monument on the battlefield of Gettysburg.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Military affairs.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the Upper Peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 650 (file No. 365), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for improvements and repairs to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison at Marquette for the years 1893 and 1894.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to

take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on State Prison.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 351, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 18, 22, 47 and 48, of chapter 12, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 137 (file No. 64), entitled

A bill to provide for the government, management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

Now to inform the Senate that by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 237. Mr. McLaughlin, by unanimous consent, offered the following communication:

DIOCESE OF MICHIGAN,
Detroit, May 22, 1893.

I most earnestly wish success to the effort being made by the barbers

of Michigan to obtain the passage of a bill by the Legislature forbidding the opening of their shops on Sunday.

THOS. F. DAVIES,
Bishop of Michigan.
CHARLES L. ARNOLD,
Rector of St. Peter's Church, Detroit.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

No. 238. By Mr. McLaughlin: Communication from Donald D. MacLaurin, of Detroit, on the same subject.

DETROIT, May 22, 1893.

To the Honorable Senators of the State of Michigan:

SIRS—We are informed that there is some danger that a bill, passed by the House, requiring barber shops to be closed on Sunday in our State, may fail of passage by your honorable body. We cannot but think that this failure would be an injustice. We desire its passage, not in the interest of religion, but of humanity.

All men require one "rest day" in seven.

Why should not the reasonable prayer of the barbers be granted?

We feel that no argument is needed in the case, and earnestly pray you to enact the bill into law.

Very respectfully,

DONALD D. MACLAURIN,
Pastor Woodward Ave. Baptist Church.
MARCUS A. BROWNSON,
Pastor 1st Presbyterian Church, Detroit.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

No. 239. By Mr. McLaughlin: Communication from the Michigan Baptist State Convention on the same subject.

Detroit. Mich.. May 22, 1893.

To the Senate:

GENTLEMEN—At the meeting of the Baptist ministers of Detroit and vicinity this morning, a motion was unanimously carried favoring the passage of the bill giving the barbers relief from Sunday work.

By vote of the body, I send you this note of our action.

Respectfully yours,
W. S. HOWARD, *Sec.*

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

No. 240. By Mr. McLaughlin: Resolutions from the Woodward Avenue Baptist Church Society, on the same subject.

At the Woodward Avenue Baptist Church last night, an audience of over 1,200 persons adopted the following resolution:

"*Resolved, by this congregation assembled,* That we are in hearty sympathy with the movement of the barbers of Detroit and Michigan for the enactment of the bill now before the Senate, closing barber shops throughout the State on Sunday. We pray the honorable Senators to pass the bill now in their hands.

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

No. 241. By Mr. McLaughlin: Resolutions of the Presbyterian Ministerial Association of Detroit, on the same subject.

The Presbyterian Ministerial Association of Detroit, representing 45 ministers, 230 office bearers, 42 churches and 32,000 adherents, respectfully urge the Senate of Michigan to act speedily and favorably upon the bill to

prevent the opening of barber shops upon the first day of the week, because

1. It is in keeping with the public policy of the State and nation which has by past legislation recognized the duty and propriety of such observance.

2. Especially it secures to a large and hard working class of our fellow citizens their needed and well earned rest.

3. It is the general and almost unanimous request of all this class of workmen, both employer and assistants, throughout Michigan.

4. It meets all national objection in its careful provision that nothing in the act shall apply to persons who conscientiously believe that the seventh day of the week should be observed as the Sabbath and who actually refrain from secular business on that day.

Passed and sent to the Legislature by the Ministerial Association of Detroit, May 22, 1893.

W. T. JAQUES, *Secretary.*

Referred to committee on Judiciary.

No. 242. By Mr. Morrow: Petition of farmers along Black river praying for the passage of the Moll bill, as follows:

Custer Township, May 20, 1893.

To the Hon. J. A. Moll:

SIR—We, as farmers living along the river flats do hereby state the condition of our farms at present, they are almost flooded with water, and we do pray that you may meet with success for our deepest interest in regarding the Moll bill as we notice you have it for the third time in the Senate.

Referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

No. 243. By Mr. Morrow: Petition from Victor H. Lane, R. A. Watts, Harry L. Lanvill and other citizens of Adrian, as follows:

Adrian, Mich., May 22, 1893.

Hon. Jas. H. Morrow, Lansing, Michigan:

DEAR SIR—We, members of the Lenawee county bar, respectfully urge that you give your support to the bill now pending in the Senate for the increase of the salaries of the members of the Supreme Court, on condition that they reside in Lansing.

Some relief to the Supreme Court is imperative, and the bill which we ask you to support is the most practicable to secure that result of anything now available, or that has been suggested.

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning and deepening Black river in Sanilac county for sanitary purposes and providing and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of said State Board of Health.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Hopkins moved to take from the table

House bill No. 546 (file No. 239), entitled

A bill to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes or ladders for the passage of fish through dams across the Muskegon river and its tributaries.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

Mr. Clapp moved to take from the table

House bill No. 167 (file No. 53), entitled

A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 150 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 5660 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to deeds and conveyances as amended by act No. 112 of the public acts of 1891.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mellen	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clark	Hough	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect,

House bill No. 146 (file No. 259), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patients' library, and for hall painting and renovating at the Eastern Michigan Asylum.

Was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Barnard moved that a respectful message be sent to the House, asking the return to the Senate of

House bill No. 792, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 4 of title 2; section 9 of title 3; sections 4, 25 and 32 of title 4; sections 7, 8, 10 and 11 of title 5; sections 6, 10 and 36 of title 6, of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids, approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts

amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; and to add to title 3 of said act two new sections, to be known and numbered as sections 19 and 28 of said title 3 respectively; and to repeal section 23 of title 4; sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of title 6, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of title 7 of said act.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sabin moved that

Senate bill No. 306 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to provide for taking a census of the population and industries of this State,

Be made the special order for tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President *pro tem.* called Mr. Barnard to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 474, entitled

A bill to provide for a county and township system of roads, and to prescribe the powers and duties of the officers having charge thereof.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the above named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Fox moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Clapp, Hough, Sabin, Sawyer, McGinley, Steel and Weiss.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Hough at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

Mr. Hough was admitted within the bar, excused and took his seat.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Messrs. Clapp, Sabin, McGinley and Steel at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senators were admitted within the bar, excused, and took their seats.

Mr. Turnbull moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the amendments made by the committee of the whole to the last above named bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Weiss at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

Mr. Weiss was admitted within the bar, excused, and took his seat.

By unanimous consent Mr. Weiss was excused from the operation of the call.

The question then being on the concurring in the amendments made by the committee of the whole to the bill, the Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Hopkins	Morrow	
Clark	Jewell	Mugford	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Sabin	12

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Gibson	Turnbull	
Crane	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Doran	Mears		11

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order.

Whereupon the President called Mr. Steel to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 335, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 87 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the appropriation of money to pay the salary of the Attorney General, clerks and certain expenses in such department and to provide the manner and condition of payment and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act.

House bill No. 620 (file No. 190), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of act No. 174 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for beginning suits against foreign cooperative and mutual benefit insurance societies and associations, organized under the laws of other states or territories and doing business in this State."

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 55 (file No. 252), entitled

A bill to establish the Central Michigan State Normal School at Mount Pleasant, Michigan, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Have adopted a substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for the location and establishment of a normal school

in the lower peninsula at some point north of town No. 13 north in the State of Michigan, and for the appointment of commissioners for the locating and establishment of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor.

And have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the substitute be concurred in, and that the bill as substituted do pass.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred in the substitute adopted for the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate took a recess until 8 o'clock p. m.

AFTER RECESS.

8 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. French moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 485, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Marine City, in the county of St. Clair," and acts amendatory thereof.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. French,

The bill was referred to the committee on Cities and villages.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Hough to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 529 (file No. 332), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a commission to prepare and report a general municipal corporation bill, under which all municipalities may become incorporated, and to prescribe their duties and provide for their compensation.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

II.

The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of act 146 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1857, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the supreme court, pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution," approved February 16, 1857, as amended, relative to salaries of justices of the supreme court, and requiring them to reside during their terms of office in the city of Lansing, being compiler's section 6393 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 433, entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation and collection of taxes of persons, companies, associations and corporations, whether located within or without this State, engaged in running palace, drawing room or sleeping cars, over or upon any railroad situated wholiy, or partly within this State.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend their passage.

LEWIS. C. HOUGH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bills and the same were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Pierce moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Wednesday, May 24, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Mr. Sawyer.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

Indefinite leave of absence was granted to Mr. Sawyer.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 73, entitled

A bill to amend act 22 of the laws of 1889, entitled "An act to amend act 28 of the public acts of 1877, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of assistant prosecuting attorney for the county of Wayne," as amended by act 7 of the public acts of 1883, and act 109 of the public acts of 1885, so as to provide for the appointment of two assistant prose-

cuting attorneys of said county, and defining their powers and duties by providing for the appointment of four assistant prosecuting attorneys for the county of Wayne, and defining their duties and powers.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 28 of the public acts of 1877, approved March 7, 1877, as amended, relative to the appointment of assistant prosecuting attorneys for Wayne county, being compiler's section 561 of 3 Howell's annotated statutes.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order, without printing.

By the committee on Banks and corporations:

The committee on Banks and corporations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 408 (file No. 171), entitled

A bill to prohibit the use of the term "bank," "banker" or "bankers" to designate the business carried on by any person or persons, firm or corporation other that corporations organized under the banking law of this State or the United States.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

GEO. A. STEEL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The bill was then placed on the order of third reading of bills.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By the special committee to investigate the Agricultural College:

On April 21 the special joint committee consisting of three members each from the Senate and House of Representatives was authorized "with power and authority to send for persons, books and papers and emplo expert and clerical help if necessary and investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural College and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking towards an increase in and the enlargement of the usefulness of the institution." In pursuance of which authority the committee at once organized and, after formulating a plan of procedure, began taking testimony as it was suggested that persons dependent upon the will and pleasure of the State Board of Agriculture, who have general charge and control of the students and faculty would give more fully and freely their testimony if the com-

mittee held executive sessions, it was decided that a portion at least of the committee meetings should be so held and the evidence taken under oath.

The following divisions or sections were adopted at the first meeting as necessary for consideration:

1. Legal basis of the college.
a. National laws.
b. State laws.
2. Has the basis been complied with?
a. In the agricultural course.
b. In the mechanical course.
3. In complying with this basis have the funds been wisely used both in the general fund and experimental fund?
a. In buildings and equipment?
b. In the salary, labor done being considered, of the faculty?
c. Have the faculty sufficient work assigned them?
4. Is co-education desirable and to be recommended?
5. Is it desirable to vest the future care and management of the Agricultural College lands in the hands of the board of agriculture instead of the present board of control?

Our findings upon the several divisions of the subject as above mentioned are given, such portion of the evidence taken as is deemed necessary to sustain our conclusions being given in detail.

LEGAL BASIS OF THE COLLEGE.

The college was established in obedience to a requisition of the revised constitution of the State adopted in 1850. The act of organization was approved February 12, 1855, an act of reorganization was approved March 15, 1861, and prescribes the duties of the board, president, secretary, faculty and superintendent of farm, as well as the course of instruction, and hours of students' labor. Such part of the course of study and details in the management of the college as is mandatory in the laws governing the action of the managers of the college, must clearly relieve them of responsibility for the results, provided the laws are faithfully executed. An analysis, however, of the law, both State and National lead to the conclusion that the intention of congress was, as expressed in section 4 of the act of July 2, 1862, "that the leading object shall be, without excluding other scientific and classical studies, and including military tactics, to teach such branches of learning as are related to agriculture and the mechanic arts, in such manner as the legislators of the states may respectively prescribe, in order to promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions in life." Congress having thus vested in our legislature the prescribing of the manner in which such branches as are related to agriculture and the mechanic arts are taught, provided that the promotive object, to wit, "in order to promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions in life" be not lost sight of, it seems clear that to our laws we must look for such dictation as they may contain. Section 4998 of Howell's says "The board shall have power to regulate the course of instruction," and section 4990 states that "The course of instruction shall embrace the English language and literature, mathematics, civil engineering, agricultural chemistry, animal and vegetable anatomy and physiology, the veterinary art, entomology, geology, and such other natural sciences as may be prescribed, technology, political,

rural and houshold economy, horticulture, moral philosophy, history, bookkeeping, and especially the application of science and the mechanical arts to practical agriculture in the field." In short, it seems clear that the intimation of the statutes is that great latitude should be given to the board and we believe such construction has been placed by the board upon the law.

Your committee, however, are of the opinion that in so construing the legal basis of the college the board should ever bear in mind the terse terms of the act of congress in directing that the legislatures, and the board of agriculture its creation, should "teach such branches of learning as are related to agriculture and the mechanic arts in order to promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions in life;" from this standpoint your committee came to the consideration of the second section of the question, to wit:

Has the legal basis been complied with?

a. In the agricultural course?

b. In the mechanical course?

In the agricultural course, your committee find that there is some ground for criticism in the lack of "practical education" given the students. Among the most practical necessities of an agricultural student is to be able to handle a team, to plow, to sow, in fact to be able, if called upon, to perform well any of the practical operations upon the farm. No provision is made for teaching many of these things at the college. With this exception, the course seems to be thorough and the results highly creditable to the institution.

b. In the mechanical course.

This course we find in a very creditable condition. From the head of the department down, there seems to be a push and vim which permeates every student with its influence and serves to make the course valuable and attractive. We are of the opinion, however, that its value both to the students as well as to the institution might be enhanced by the addition of some practical teachings in plumbing and pipe fitting, heating, etc., and the practical application of such knowledge to the buildings and plant of the college—it seemed clear to your committee that were this course adopted it would serve to benefit the students and at the same time economically improve the plant in these respects, for which there is ample opportunity.

3. Have the expenditures been wisely made, both in the experimental and general funds.

a. In building and equipment.

b. In the salary (labor done being considered) of the faculty, incidentally have the faculty sufficient work assigned them?

a. In buildings and equipment your committee consider that on the whole, the funds have been wisely used.

b. In the salaries paid, labor done being considered, your committee took up the investigation into the expenditures in the experimental and general funds seperately, in the experimental fund we find that the portion of the salaries of the president, faculty and assistant at the college was $9,119.53 for the past year, the amount expended at the Grayling experiment station being about $800. A detailed statement from each head of department was made to your committee which owing to their length cannot be enumerated, but which has enabled your committee to form the estimate that the amount paid for the services rendered has been well

expended, a comparison of the bulletins issued by Michigan and other states show that only New York, West Virginia and Virginia, have exceeded ours in number, the general average being 6 bulletins and average total pages 172, while Michigan issued 11 bulletins and the "Flora of Michigan," 218 pages (printed in other states in their bulletin), a total of 429 pages; a comparison of the value of the matter issued, Michigan may feel a pardonable pride with the exception of an inaccuracy of statement regarding hot water treatment for "rust" on wheat where "smut" should have been stated instead, this error should not have been perpetuated, in the second edition, as it was, and it would seem that if the error had made the impression which it ought upon the mind of its responsible author there would have been no opportunity for its having escaped his memory when the second edition was published.

Passing now to that portion of section 3 of the course of investigation which relates to the use of the funds in the college department proper, incidentally considering whether the faculty have sufficient work assigned them, and as indicative that the relative salaries paid here and elsewhere are not higher here, we find that within the last 4 years 27 professors and assistants have resigned to receive nearly double pay elsewhere,— we report that a review of the detailed statement of each department, furnished us at our request, leads us to the conclusion that while we do not find sufficient ground for recommending the cutting off of any portion of the present force, yet, as will appear under the proper head of this report we do believe that more work can be given to the faculty, and a corresponding greater benefit to the students and college, by enlarging the laboratory or practical teaching without increasing materially the force of teachers; to illustrate, a lecture can be given by a professor to a hundred students for an hour with much less effort than he can handle 25 students in the laboratory and yet quite likely the laboratory work will prove the more valuable. Your committee do not wish to be understood as belittling the value to the State as well as to the college of the higher or more scientific pursuits of the various educational features or branches at the college; these pursuits are necessary to enable it to properly conduct the more practical elements that they be based upon a correct or scientific basis, and while the maintenance of these branches at the proper standing to accomplish these results is expensive, yet it has proved often times, as a mere investment, a profitable one to the farmers as well as others in our State. A few instances will serve to illustrate the idea of the practical benefits derived by the people from the scientific work of the college.

1. First to demonstrate that the arsenites—London purple and Paris green—were safe and practical remedies against the codling moth. This remedy now is used all over the country.

2. The first to make and use the kerosene emulsion, which is now relied upon as a specific against all such insects as plant and parasitic lice, bugs, etc.

3. The first to prove that it was safe to use Paris green to fight the potato beetle.

4. The first to show that pyrethrum mixed with water was an efficient insecticide. This is the only non-poisonous substance that is found efficient in destroying insects.

5. The first to show the proportion of paris green or London purple and water, which is best in fighting insects.

6. Proved by careful experiment that it is not dangerous to use London

purple or Paris green on fruit trees, even though stock be pastured in the orchard.

7. The first to prove by careful experiment that it will not do to spray fruit trees while in bloom. Such spraying will kill honey bees.

8. Proved beyond question that bees are essential to the full fruitage of our orchards and gardens.

9. Proved by extensive experiments that artificial pasturage, by use of non-useful plants, for bees is not practical.

10. Proved that spraying with the arsenites is not a satisfactory remedy against the plum curculio.

11. That our present methods of honey analyses are not reliable.

12. Proved that it is possible to trap and even poison cut worms by use of baits of fresh clover, mullein or other herbage.

13. Exposed the sale of marl brought in from Ohio and sold at high prices as Buckeye Superphosphate, sold for $20.00 a ton, and cost about $1.00.

14. Exposed the sale of Western Reserve Fertilizer (powdered furnace slag) worth 34c a ton and sold for $22.00 a ton. Killed the sale of 800 tons at once, and was threatened with prosecution for $50,000.00.

15. Clawson wheat was denounced by millers as unfit for food or grinding and price ran down at once 10c a bushel, but after its value was demonstrated the price came up 10c. Farmers said the wheat produced three to five bushels more per acre than the kinds recommended by millers. With 1,500,000 acres of wheat three bushels per acre makes a large gain.

16. Demonstrated that American wheat is not poisoned by use of Paris green for insecticides, contrary to the statement of a leading scientist which charge was taken up by European wheat growers and the world's market for American wheat was saved.

17. Have shown the great capacity of Michigan to grow sugar beets of great sugar producing quality.

18. Tested thousands of packets of seeds from different dealers.

19. Tested two thousand varieties of fruits and vegetables and made known their worth to the public.

Coming now to the fourth section of the inquiry.

Is co-education desirable and to be recommended?

The arguments upon this question are so voluminous that it is not deemed in the limited space allotted to us, best to open here their discussion. The success of the education of girls at the University in our State, at the Agricultural College in Kansas, and other leading educational institutions where the dormitory plan is not adopted, has been such that your committee feel that the step is fully warranted, and that it is popularly demanded, and that as soon as the Board of Agriculture can arrange for the Industrial course for girls it should be done.

SEC. 5. Is it desirable to relieve the Board of Control of Agricultural College lands from further care of these lands, and vest their care and management in Board of Agriculture, or jointly in the two boards?

The following brief history of the case is submitted as our reasons for believing that the control of these lands should be vested solely in the State Board of Agriculture, and respectfully recommend for that purpose the passage of House file 364.

February 12, 1855, the Legislature of Michigan appropriated the money from the sale of twenty-two sections of salt spring lands, for the establish-

ment of a State Agricultural College, and placed it under the care of the State Board of Education.

March 15, 1861, the legislature amended the laws relative to the college and placed its interest in the care of a new board created especially for this purpose, called the State Board of Agriculture, composed of the Governor of the State, the president of the college and six members to be appointed by the Governor, by and with the consent of the Senate, two each for terms of two, four and six years respectively, to be succeeded as their terms expired by appointees for six years each. Thus the normal change in the membership of the board would not exceed 3-8 every two years, and as the members are unpaid, so that the position is not sought for the money there is in it, there have been fifty per cent of reappointments, making the board a relatively stable body that can hardly fail to be well informed concerning the interests intrusted to its care. The three men who have acted as president of the board since its organization are ex-Governor Austin Blair, 1861-1855, the late Judge Hezekiah G. Wells, of Kalamazoo, 1865-1883, and Hon. Franklin Wells of Constantine; since that time of the remaining appointive members three are filling second terms.

The year after this board was organized, the United States Congress passed an act, approved July 2, 1862, donating land to the several states which should provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, under which Michigan received 235,682.46 acres of land subject, among others, to the following conditions:

SECS. 3 and 4. That all expenses of management, superintendence and taxes from date of selection of said lands, previous to their sales, and all expenses incurred in the management and disbursement of moneys which may be received therefrom, shall be paid by the states to which they may belong, out of the treasury of said states, so that the entire proceeds of the sale of said lands shall be applied without any diminution whatever, to the endowment, support and maintenance of, at least, one college.

SEC. 5. That the grant of land and land scrip hereby authorized shall be made on the following conditions, to which, as well as to the provisions hereinbefore contained, the provisions assent of the several states shall be signified by legislative acts: *First*, If any portion of the fund invested, as provided by the foregoing section, or any portion of the interest thereon, shall, by any act or contingency, be diminished or lost, it shall be replaced by the state to which it belongs, so that the capital shall remain forever undiminished.

No portion of said fund, nor the interest thereon, shall be applied, directly or indirectly, under any pretense whatever, to the purchase, section, preservation or repair of any building or buildings.

This grant was accepted on behalf of the State, subject to the conditions under which it was made, by an act approved February 25, 1863, and on March 18, 1863, was approved, by which the care and disposition of this endowment of the State Agricultural College was placed, not with the trustees created by the State for the control of the interests of the college, but in the hands of a newly created board composed of six of the principal officers of the State government.

It is no derogation of the general merits of our system of State government to say that a board so composed is too changeable to be able to secure the best results from such a trust. It is a piece of the business interests of the State that ought to be removed as far as may be from the vicissi-

tudes of politics and not subject to fall at any biennial election into entirely new hands. As instances of the evils of the present system, the following facts are cited:

First, The selection of the lands, which was chiefly made during the years 1865 to 1868, was a most unwise sacrifice of the interests of the college, as at that time it would have been possible to have selected every acre of the entire grant from the best pine lands in the State, which could, ere this, have been sold for a sum that would have given the college an endowment easily ten fold as large as that which it now has. Instead of this, almost no pine was taken, under the specious explanation that an agricultural college grant should be agricultural rather than timber land. As a result the college was endowed with lands which have averaged, so far as sold, less than $4.00 per acre, and of the yet unsold portions of which, tens of thousands of acres are of the slightest kind of jack pine barrens, of $3.53 per acre, and that for the most valuable half of the entire grant. At that time the State Board of Agriculture presented a memorial to the State Agricultural Land Grant Board praying them to withdraw the lands from the market and have them reappraised before any more sales should be made. This was done, and as a result, the sales for the next ten years averaged $6.90 per acre, or nearly double the price for which they had been going before.

Third, As between the reports of the land office for 1887 and 1888, there is an amount of $11,165.94 reported as due the college funds in the first year that disappears from sight with no explanation in the second year. An exhibit of this discrepancy is made on page twenty-four of the report of the State Board of Agriculture for 1888.

Fourth, In 1891 the board of agriculture again asked the land grant board to have the college lands withdrawn and reappraised. The withdrawal was made, but the reappraisal was refused unless the board of agriculture would consent to the cost of such reappraisal being charged to the college funds. This the board of agriculture refused to sanction, as having no right to do so, because the terms of the grant from the United States specifically required that "all expenses of management, superintendence and taxes from date of selection of said lands previous to their sale and all expenses incurred in the management, and disbursements of moneys which may be received therefrom shall be paid by the states to which they may belong out of the treasury of said states so that the entire proceeds of the sale of said lands shall be applied without any diminution whatever to the purpose hereinafter mentioned.

Pending this controversy, the lands were by the land grant board restored to the market on the 29th of last September without reappraisal, on the ground that there was irrestible pressue from would-be settlers who desired to purchase and locate on these lands.

It seemed to the members of the board of agriculture that this "pressure" had the appearance of a speculative rather than a homestead character, and the event shows the correctness of their surmise as of the 10,320 acres sold from that time, to the 27th of January of this year, only 240 acres were bought by settlers, the remaining 10,080 being hard wood timber lands that had recently largely appreciated in value and were bought up by lumbermen and timber speculators at the prices at which they were held before the recent advance of hard wood timber.

The following are some of the "imaginary settlers" with the acreage they acquired for their homesteads:

The Cummer Lumber Company, of Cadillac	3,960	acres, at	$6 25
David Ward, of Detroit	106,295	"	7 30
The Empire Lumber Company (of Chicago)	800	"	10 00
Alger, Smith & Co., of Detroit	68,483	"	10 10
Penoyer Bros., of Au Sable	680	"	5 70
Buckley & Douglas, of Manistee	680	"	8 60

The Board of Agriculture expresses no desire to prevent the sale of these lands, but does desire that the State shall have the full benefit of any appreciation in value which the development of new railroads, or the opening of new markets may occasion.

Fifth, Finally, in direct violation of the terms under which this grant of land was accepted by the State from the United States, which, as already quoted, requires that "all expenses of the management of said lands shall be paid from the State treasury, so that the entire proceeds of the sale of said lands shall be applied without any diminution whatever to the endowment and support of a college to teach branches of learning related to agriculture, etc." These trust funds have been regularly charged, with certain of these expenses of management, namely, the reappraisal and advertising of forfeited lands, and in one case a small sum for trespass examinations, together aggregating, without interest, or with simple interest at 7 per cent, $435,465.

Considering now in conclusion the sixth section as to recommendations for the future course or policy, the following is submitted:

During President Abbot's administration the board and faculty consulted at one of the board meetings every month.

Since that plan was abandoned they seem to have drifted apart.

Closer relations should be cultivated.

Great latitude should be given to the president in his powers and privileges in employing and directing his assistants. He could and should be held responsible for the successes or failures resulting from his administration.

Compulsory manual labor, except as needed in conducting the practical education in the industrial branches, should be abandoned. Where so needed it should be rigidly demanded and should not be paid for.

When students elect to work, and there is work for them to do, it should be paid for at a price commensurate to the class of labor performed.

The dormitory system should be gradually abandoned.

More elective studies or courses should be added.

Adopt a popular two years' course that shall at the same time be a part of the four years' course.

Strengthen and subdivide the agricultural course, adding to its practical or industrial side indoors and outdoors.

In the experimental work keep abreast of the better class of farmers, finding out and demonstrating the value of new things.

The portion of the college farm not devoted to experimental purposes should be maintained as a model farm. In the minds of your committee there exists an opportunity for improvement in this respect.

Ninety-five per cent of the people of Michigan are in the various industrial vocations and only 5 per cent in the learned professions, yet almost the opposite ratio is maintained in the appropriations for the education at our colleges of the two classes, this state of affairs should

be changed and greater prominence given the subjects that fit the great majority for the work they should and will pursue. The "mechanic arts" occupy second place only to agriculture in this great list of followers. Can we not then recommend that a college endowed liberally by congress to "promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes" be occupied by eliminating the course in mechanic arts? We think not, we should build up not tear down.

J. W. GARVELINK,
EDWIN G. FOX,
Committee on the part of the Senate.

A. T. LINDERMAN,
NORTON FITCH,
HORACE HOLDRIDGE.
Committee on the part of the House.

I do not think this report shows fully the difficulties through which the college has been laboring, nor does it place the institution in such a light that it will satisfy the agriculturalist that they are getting the best results from the expenditure of so large sums of money.

I do not think the farm is made by any means a model one, or such as would incite a spirit of emulation among farmers and others visiting it.

There is not sufficient care exercised in keeping the different kinds of stock to show their qualities for breeding purposes.

There seems to be a lack of a proper system of accounts in the agricultural department, such as would show the profits or loss in growing the different crops, also in feeding, in comparing silage with roots to show which is best and most profitable for farmers. I am opposed to coeducation in this school. I believe it would not be conducive to good morals, and that the branches taught here which ladies could take are better taught in other schools in the State.

Other than as above set forth I concur in the report.

PETER GILBERT.

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following joint resolution:

Senate joint resolution No. 15, entitled

A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate, examine, settle and pay any claim found to be due the Presque Isle lumber company of Hammond's bay, Presque Isle county, Michigan, against the State of Michigan for damages or compensation arising from the seizure by the trespass agents of the State of Michigan, of a certain lot of cedar cut by it on portions of the northeast quarter of section 35, north of range 2 east, claimed by the said trespass agents to have been a trespass upon the State lands.

Concerning which a difference existed between the two Houses, which was referred to a committee of conference.

Now to inform the Senate that said committee of conference has reported to the House as follows:

The committee of Conference to whom was referred

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Which the House amended as follows:

By striking from the end of the resolution the words "but not to exceed seven hundred dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "*Provided*, That nothing shall be allowed beyond the amount of property or money actually received or appropriated by the State."

In which the Senate non-concurred.

Thereupon the House insisted and asked for a committee of conference, which was granted.

Respectfully report that they have had under consideration

The matter of difference between the two Houses and respectfully recommend that from its said amendments the House recede and that in the adoption of the recommendation both Houses concur.

And asked to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

A. R. BLAKLEY,
GEO. G. COVELL,
P. B. WACHTEL,
Members of committee on part of the House.

WILLIAM MEARS,
JOHN TURNBULL,
Members of committee on part of the Senate.

And further to inform the Senate that the House has adopted said report by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on the adoption of the report of the conference committee.

The report was adopted, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. McLaughlin	
Burt	Gibson	Mears	
Clapp	Gilbert	Mellen	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Fox	Jewell	Turnbull	
French	McGinley	Wilkins	21

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The joint resolution was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 243 (No. 254), entitled

A bill to provide for the enrollment, equipment, maintenance and discipline of the naval militia of the State.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 155, entitled

A bill to amend section 27 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the laws of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, as amended by act No. 166 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 6, 1883, further amended by act No. 231 of the public acts of 1889, approved July 1, 1889, being compiler's section No. 1322, volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Sabin, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee on Judiciary from the further consideration of

House bill No. 659 (file No. 309), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act number 171 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders," as amended, the same being section 9894 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Which motion prevailed.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. McGinley to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

House bill No. 202 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of act No. 38 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to amend act No. 82 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 15, 1873, by adding one new section thereto to stand as section 22, providing for the organizing of mutual fire insurance companies to insure property in cities and villages exclusively.

House bill No. 838 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 147 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a county commissioner of schools, for the appointment of school examiners, and to define the duties and fix the compensation for the same, and to repeal all existing acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act," approved June 14, 1891.

House bill No. 575 (file No. 214), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 11 of act No. 164 of public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provision of this act," the same being section 5141 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to libraries in school districts.

House bill No 440 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 6, and 9, of act number 179, of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to establish, protect and enforce by lien, the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for building, altering, improving, repairing, erecting or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures," and to repeal all acts contravening the provisions of this act.

Senate bill No. 218 (file No. 84) entitled

A bill in relation to the manner of keeping upper berths in any sleeping car run or operated upon any railroad in this State, and to provide a penalty for any violation thereof.

Senate bill No. 73, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 28 of the public acts of 1877, approved March 7, 1877, as amended, relative to the appointment of assistant prosecuting attorneys for Wayne county, being compiler's section 561 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 583 (file No. 346), entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for the prevention of cruelty to children.

House bill No. 584 (file No. 358), entitled

A bill to provide a penalty for cruelty to children.

House bill No. 713 (file No. 359), entitled

A bill relative to the proof of instruments purporting to be executed by any corporation, joint stock company or partnership association, limited, foreign or domestic, under its common seal.

House bill No. 218 (file No. 324), entitled

A bill to amend section 9 of act No. 39 of the session laws of 1889, approved April 4, 1889, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purchase and improvement of grounds to be occupied for summer homes, for camp meetings, for meetings and assemblies of associations and societies, organized for intellectual and scientific culture and for the promotion of the cause of religion and morality, or for any or all of said purposes," being section 3983*e* 4, of Howell's annotated statutes, volume 3.

Senate bill No. 37 (file No. 109), entitled

A bill to amend recited section 48 of act No. 150 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,' approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, and to add two new sections to said act to stand as sections 47 and 48."

Senate bill No. 80 (file No. 242), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower executors administrators and guardians to sell real estate of deceased persons and of persons under guardianship at private sale, and to provide for the disposition and investment of the proceeds of such sale under direction of the probate courts of this State.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

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The committee of the whole have also had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 546 (file No. 239), entitled

A bill to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes or ladders, for the passage of fish through dams across the Muskegon river and its tributaries and to provide a penalty for the provisions of this act.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The first above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on State Prison:

The committee on State Prison, to whom was referred

House bill No. 637 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill appropriating money for building, repairs and other necessary improvements at the State Prison at Jackson.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration

and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

C. F. GIBSON,
SAMUEL M. WILKINS,
Committee State Prison.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Mining interests:

The committee on Mining interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 149 (file No. 137), entitled

A bill to provide for the election of inspectors of mines and the appointment of their deputies in certain cases, to prescribe their powers and duties and to provide for their compensation and to repeal all acts or parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Mining interests:

The committee on Mining interests, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 150 (file No. 138), entitled

A bill to amend section 4 of act number 113 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of companies for mining, smelting and manufacturing iron, copper, silver, mineral coal, and other ores or minerals, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations," approved May 11, 1877, the same being section 4079 of Howell's statutes.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Agricultural interests:

The committee on Agricultural interests, to whom was referred

House bill No. 123 (file No. 340), entitled

A bill to provide the manner of proving the breeding of horses.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on House of Correction at Marquette,

The majority of the committee on House of Correction at Marquette, to whom was referred

House bill No. 650 (file No. 365), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for improvements and repairs to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison at Marquette for the years 1893 and 1894.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

PETER PASCOE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committees on Judiciary and railroads:

The committees on Judiciary and railroads, to whom was referred

Senate substitute for Senate bills No. 151 and 170 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill to determine and fix the liability of railroad corporations and companies for personal injuries to employés.

Respectfully report the same back to the Senate as instructed.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY,
Chairman Judiciary committee.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM,
Chairman Railroad committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

House bill No. 893 (file No. 219), entitled

A bill to amend section 32 of chapter 189 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 125 of the session laws of 1877, being section 7578 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the return and summoning of jurors,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 306 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to provide for taking a census of the population and industries of this State.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Brundage to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

Senate bill No. 306 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to provide for taking a census of the population and industries of this State.

Have made sundry amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, asking concurrence therein, and recommend its passage.

CHAS. L. BRUNDAGE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the second named bill, and the same was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 257 (file No. 172), entitled

A bill to prohibit the opening of barber shops on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, for the purpose of carrying on or engaging in the art or calling of hair cutting, shaving, hair dressing and shampooing, or in any work pertaining to the trade or business of a barber, on the said first day of the week, commonly called Sunday.

Respectfully report that they report the same back to the Senate as instructed.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The consideration of the bill was made the special order for this evening at 8 o'clock.

By the committee on Public health:

The committee on Public health, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 88,) entitled

A bill to protect State charitable and reformatory institutions from the introduction of contagious and infectious diseases and from the expense of the transmittal of epileptics.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

MARDEN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order

By the committee on Public health:

The committee on Public health, to whom was referred

House bill No. 191 (file No. 319), entitled

A bill to prohibit the adulteration of maple sugar, maple molasses and maple syrup.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

MARDEN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Asylums for insane:

The committee on Asylums for insane, to whom was referred the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, There was levied upon the State lands connected with the Eastern Michigan Asylum for Insane, an assessment of about eleven hundred and seventy-five dollars as the proportionate share of benefits to said property by reason of the establishment and construction of a county drain known as the Pontiac creek drain; and

WHEREAS, The Auditor General has declined to issue his warrant on the State Treasurer for the amount of tax so assessed against said asylum lands as certified to him, on the ground that the statute (I How. An. St., section 1711) only applied to lands in the market and for sale; and

WHEREAS, The State has received the benefit of the construction of said drain and about forty acres of land belonging thereto have been reclaimed and made valuable thereby, and the men who performed the labor are justly and equitably entitled to their pay; therefore

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Michigan Asylum for the Insane be and they are hereby authorized to pay the amount of the taxes and fees so assessed, and upon the tax roll of 1892 of the fourth ward of the city of Pontiac, against said asylum property on account of the construction of said drain, not exceeding twelve hundred dollars, the same to be paid out of any funds belonging to said institution.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it be adopted, and ask to be discharged from the further considerationof the subject.

MARDEN SABIN, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The question bring on the adoption of the resolution,

The same was adopted.

By the committee on State Prison:

The committee on State Prison, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 447, entitled

A bill making appropriations for buildings in connection with the State Prison at Jackson, Michigan, and general repairs.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill appropriating the sum of five thousand dollars for altering, enlarging and extending the sewer and sewerage system of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

SAMUEL M. WILKINS,
C. F. GIBSON,
Committee on State Prison.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The Pre ident announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 488 (file No. 374), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Reformatory at Ionia.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 203 (file No. 228) entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 25 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 9, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for three additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit," so as to provide one other additional circuit judge for the third judicial circuit.

Now to inform the Senate that by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 262 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to provide for the control and management of the Industrial Home for Girls, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act.

Now to inform the Senate that by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 54 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act No. 154, public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to amend section 10, of chapter 342, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended by act No. 172, of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Reform School.

Concerning which a difference existed between the two Houses, which was referred to a committee of conference.

Now to inform the Senate that said committee has this day reported to the House as follows:

The committee of Conference to whom was referred the difference existing between the two Houees relative to

Senate bill No. 54 (fild No. 25), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 154, public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to amend section 10 of chapter 342 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended by act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Reform School.

Respectfully report that after a careful consideration of the bill and the amendments made thereto by the House, find that there are no differences

to adjust and recommend that the senate concurs in the amendments as new of record, as made by the House.

C. L. BRUNDAGE,
AUGUSTUS JEWELL,
J. H. MORROW,
Senate Committee.

J. S. MUDGE,
H. HOLDRIDGE,
GEO. C. WATSON,
House Committee.

Which said report has been this day adopted by the House.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report of the conference committee,

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The Senate concurred, a majority of the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Hough	Pascoe	
Burt	Jewell	Pierce	
Clapp	McGinley	Sabin	
Crane	McLaughlin	Steel	
Fleshiem	Mears	Turnbull	
Gibson	Morrow	Wilkins	21

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The question then being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title of the bill.

The Senate concurred.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the folloging:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 247 (file No. 378), entitled

A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Saline plank road company," approved March 23, 1848, and to provide for winding up the affairs of said company.

Which has passed the House by a two-thirds vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, It appearing to the satisfaction of the Senate that a large number of corporations required by the laws of the State to file annual reports in offices of the Secretary of State and Auditor General or one of such offices, have not complied with such provisions of the laws of this State; and

WHEREAS, It further appearing to the satisfaction of the Senate that the charters of a large number of the corporations organized under the laws of the State have expired by limitation; and

WHEREAS, It further appearing to the satisfaction of the Senate that a considerable number of corporations required to pay specific taxes in this State, are delinquent in the payment thereof; therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Attorney General be requested to proceed against such corporations, or persons exercising corporate privileges, and franchises, by such proceeding in the courts of this State as shall be suitable in the premises and as he shall deem necessary to protect the interests of the State of Michigan.

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 237 (file No. 211), entitled

A bill to authorize the courts, justices of the peace and police justices of this State to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication to give a special recognizance conditioned for such persons taking the cure for such drunkenness and intoxication, and for the adjournment of such case against such person for a limited time for this purpose, and to provide means for carrying out the same.

In the passage of which, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take effect 30 days after adjournment of the Legislature.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 433, entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation and collection of taxes of persons, companies, associations and corporations, whether located within or without this State, engaged in running palace, drawing room or sleeping cars, over or upon any railroad situated wholly or partly within this State,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Jewell moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 17 of section 6, after the word " provided," the following: "That in all cases of failure to pay taxes as required herein, the proceedings shall be in all respects and with like effect as provided in said act No. 226; and provided further."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Jewell moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators were reported absent without leave: Mr. French.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	French	Morrow	
Burt	Garvelink	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clapp	Jewell	Steel	
Clark	McGinley	Turnbull	
Crane	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Doran			22

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Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 55, entitled

A bill to provide for the location and establishment of a normal school in the lower peninsula at some point north of town No. 13 north, in the State of Michigan, and for the appointment of commissioners for the locating and establishment of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Mugford
Crane	Hough	Pascoe
Doran	McGinley	Pierce
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Steel

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Mr. French	Mr. Mears	Mr. Turnbull
Garvelink	Mellen	Weiss
Gilbert	Morrow	Wilkins

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Mr. Barnard	Mr. Clapp	Mr. Jewell
Brundage	Clark	Sabin
Burt	Fox	8

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of act 146 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1857, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the supreme court, pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution," approved February 16, 1857, as amended, relative to salaries of justices of the supreme court, and requiring them to reside during their terms of office in the city of Lansing, being compiler's section 6393 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford
Champion	Gibson	Pascoe
Clapp	Hough	Pierce
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fleshiem	Morrow	Wilkins 18

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Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears
Brundage	Gilbert	Mellen
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin
Fox	Jewell	Steel 12

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 474, entitled

A bill the provide for a county and township system of roads and to prescribe the powers and duties of the officers having the charge thereof.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gilbert	Mugford
Burt	Hopkins	Pascoe
Clapp	Hough	Pierce
Doran	Jewell	Sabin
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull
French	Mears	Weiss
Garvelink	Mellen	Wilkins 27

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Mr. Crane 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

Mr. Brundage gave notice that within the time limited for reconsideration, he would move to reconsider the vote by which the Senate this morning passed

Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of act No. 146 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1857, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Supreme Court pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution," approved February 16, 1857, as amended, relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court; and requiring them to reside, during their terms of office, in the city of Lansing, being compiler's section 6393 of 3 Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 454 (file No. 376), entitled

A bill to authorize the cities and villages of this State which own and operate electric light works for the purpose of lighting their streets and other public places, to furnish and supply electric light to the inhabitants of such cities and villages.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on general order.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 351, entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 18, 22, 47 and 48, of chapter 12, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 641 (file No. 272), entitled

A bill to establish a public hospital in the city of Detroit.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to establish a contagious disease hospital in the city of Detroit.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clapp	Gibson	Pierce	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins	
Fox	Mellen		23

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Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 61 (file No. 17), entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by striking out and repealing chapters 2 and 3 and substituting in place thereof a chapter to stand as chapter 2 of said act.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend an act entltled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by striking out and repealing chapters 2 and 3 and substituting in place thereof a chapter to stand as chapter 2 of said act,

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

Pending third reading of which

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was laid on the table.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 874, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 337 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Kalamazoo," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Kalamazoo and to repeal all inconsistent acts and parts of acts," approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof and to add a new chapter thereto to stand as chapter twenty-eight.

Respectfully report that they have had the ssme under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 337 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Kalamazoo," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Kalamazeo, and to repeal all inconsistent acts and parts of acts," approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow
Burt	Gibson	Mugford
Champion	Gilbert	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin
Clark	Jewell	Steel
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins
Fox		28

NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 324 (file No. 84), entitled

A bill supplemental to the charter of the city of Detroit and to provide for a law department in said city.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendment thereto, recommending that the amendment be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin
Clark	Jewell	Steel
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins
Fox		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 565, entitled

A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 9 of act No. 249 of the local acts of 1871, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Alpena," approved March 29, 1871, as amended and to add a new section to stand as section number 95.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put on its immediate passage.

The bill was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Turnbull moved to amend the bill by striking out of line — of section 9 paragraph 36, all that relates to the legislating out of office the present board of police commissioners, and appointing a provisional board, naming the members thereof in the bill.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Turnbull moved to amend the bill by striking out of section 2 the words "Plaine street" wherever they occur and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Sable street."

On which Mr. Turnbull demanded the yeas and nays.

The amendment then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Doran			10

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Steel	
Fox	McGinley	Weiss	
French	McLaughlin	Wilkins	18

Mr. Turnbull moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking out in section 2 the words "third ward" wherever they occur and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fourth ward" and by striking out of the same section the words "fourth ward" wherever they occur and inserting in lieu thereof the words "third ward."

On which motion he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Hough	Mugford	
Doran	Mellen	Turnbull	9

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French			19

Mr. Turnbull moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting after the word "power," in line 1 of section 7 the words, "upon the nomination of the mayor."

On which he demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Sentors present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	9

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr Gibson	Mr. Mears	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Hough	Sabin	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Steel	
Fox	McGinley	Weiss	
Garvelink	McLaughlin	Wilkins	18

Mr. Turnbull moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting after the word "auctioneers" in the 30th paragraph of section 9 the words "canvassing agents, transient traders, transient merchants, transient dealers in bankrupt stocks, fire sales, commission merchants."

Which motion did not prevail.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect votiug therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French	Mears		20

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow
Champion	Hough	Mugford
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull
Doran		10

Title agreed to.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred House bill No. 500, entitled

A bill to create a board of jury commissioners consisting of five persons for courts of record in the county of Wayne, and to repeal act No. 95 of the public acts of 1887, as amended by act No. 42 of the public acts of 1891 and all other acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passsage thereof,

Mr. McLaughlin moved to amend the bill,

By inserting in line 11 of section 1 after the word "appointments" the words "of members to said board and."

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill, as amended, was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Steel
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins
French	Mears	20

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Dorn	Mr. Mellen
Champion	Gilbert	Morrow
Clark	Hough	Turnbull 9

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Weiss moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to create a board of jury commissioners consisting of seven persons for courts of record in the county of Wayne, and to repeal act No. 95

of the public acts of 1887, as amended by act No. 42 of the public acts of 1891, and all other acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

House bill No. 189 (file No. 371), entitled

A bill to provide for the discharge from record of statements claiming liens upon real estate.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the commitee on Judiciary, to which committee was referred

House bill No. 60 (file No. 311), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 79 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to authorize the judges of probate of certain counties to appoint a register and prescribe his duties and compensation," as amended by subsequeut acts amendatory thereof, being section 535 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 830 (file No. 354), entitled

A bill to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a pardoning board, prescribing the powers and duties and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the majority of the committee on Judiciary:

The majority of the committee on Judiciary to which committee was referred

House bill No. 246, entitled

A bill to secure to women citizens who are otherwise qualified the right to vote in school, village and city elections.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Senators Pierce and Doran dissent from said report believing said bill is unconstitutional.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report, as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 237 (file No. 211), entitled

A bill to authorize the courts, justices of the peace and police justices of this State, to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication, to give a special recognizance conditioned for such persons taking the cure for such drunkenness and intoxication, and for the adjournment of such case against such person for limited time for this purpose, and to provide means for carrying out the same.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Reformatory at Ionia:

The committee on Reformatory at Ionia, to whom was referred

House bill No. 488 (file No. 374), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

F. W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 362 (file No. 366), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to amend sections 7, 30, 36 and 41 of article 2, and sections 3 and 5 of article 3, and section 14 of article 4, and to add 2 new sections to article 2, to stand as sections 45 and 46, and a new section to article 5, to stand as section 22 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads, and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,' " approved May 1, 1873, being act number 198, session laws of 1873, as amended by act number 174 of the public acts of 1891.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without

amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Railroads:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred

House bill No. 555 (file No. 162), entitled

A bill to regulate the construction of the tracks of railroads and street railroads across each other, and the stringing of wires, electric or other over railroad tracks, and relative to the maintenance of such tracks heretofore so constructed and wires heretofore so strung.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH FLESHIEM, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

House joint resolution No. 21 (file No. 6), entitled

Joint resolution for the relief of Ransom D. Lyon, father and legal representative of the late Francis M. Lyon, late of Mason, Michigan.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By unanimous consent, the Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 335, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 87 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the appropriation of money to pay the salary of the Attorney General, clerks and certain expenses in such department, and to provide the manner and condition of payment, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act.

Was read the third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pascoe
Crane	Jewell	Pierce
Doran	McGinley	Steel
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Turnbull
French	Mellen	Weiss
Gibson	Morrow	Wilkins
Gilbert	Mugford	20

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Sabin	3

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, May 23, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 295, being

An act to amend act No. 290 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of St. Johns," and the acts amendatory thereto, and to add three new sections to article 6 of said act to stand as sections 8, 9 and 10, relating to bonding the village of St. Johns for sewerage purposes.

Senate bill No. 222, being

An act to authorize the township of Gilford in the county of Tuscola to borrow money for the purpose of constructing a drain as herein provided, in said county of Tuscola.

Senate bill No. 398, being

An act to amend section 5 of act No. 428 of the session laws of 1887, entitled "An act to revise and amend act No. 53 of the session laws of 1859," entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Battle Creek," approved February 3, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, approved April 9, 1887, approved May 9, 1889, approved May 22, 1891, and approved March 22, 1893.

Senate bill No. 412, being

An act to authorize the township of Wisner in the county of Tuscola, to borrow money for the purpose of constructing a drain as herein provided in said county of Tuscola,

Senate bill No. 45 (file No. 14), being

An act to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24, 1869, as amended by act No. 397 of the acts of 1891, and to repeal section 15 of said act, approved February 24, 1869, and to add one new section to said act to stand as section 26.

Senate bill No. 310, being

An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act, entitled 'An act relative to free schools in the city of Grand Rapids,'" approved March 15, 1871, which said revision was approved May 9, 1877, and the several acts amendatory thereof.

Senate bill No. 307, being

An act to amend section 4 of chapter 1, sections 2 and 3 of chapter 2, sections 3, 5, 8, 10 and 15 of chapter 3, section 2 of chapter 4, sections 3, 4 and 6 of chapter 5, section 6 of chapter 6, sections 3, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 48 and 54 of chapter 7, sections 1, 3, 4, 7, 10, 14, 15, 17, 19, 22 and 25 of chapter 14; sections 6, 7 and 18 of chapter 15; sections 1, 2, 5 and 6 of chapter

16; sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14 and 35 of chapter 17; section 2 of chapter 21 of act No. 390 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885, and the amendments thereto, and to repeal section 20 of chapter 16 of said act, and to add thereto two new sections to stand as section 9 of chapter 5 and section 11 of chapter 12 of said act.

Senate bill No. 373, being

An act to amend sections 4, 99, 109, 181, 182, 187, 194, 215, 218, 226, 230, 242, 243, 250, 251 and 287 of "An act to reincorporate the city of Adrian," approved March 8, 1887.

Senate bill No. 272 (file No. 176), being

An act making appropriations for the Michigan School for the Deaf for the years 1893 and 1894.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 646 (file No. 338), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 303, public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties and to punish offenses committed thereat" by adding two more sections thereto to stand as sections 8 and 9.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Elections.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 216 (file No. 329), entitled

A bill to amend section one of chapter five of act number two hundred and twenty-seven of the public acts of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto as amended by the several acts amendatory thereto.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Public improvements.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

14. Senate bill No. 14 (file No. 2), entitled

A bill to revive and re-enact section 114, and sections 115 and 116 as amended by act No. 1 of the public acts of 1889, approved January 11, 1889, the same being sections 83, 84 and 85 of chapter 6 of the compiled laws of 1871, and consecutive sections 240, 241 and 242 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 503 (file No. 369), entitled

A bill establishing a home for the soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the late civil war, their wives and mothers, and making an appropriation for the erection and maintenance thereof.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Military affairs.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 897 (file No. 379), entitled

A bill to authorize the boards of control of the swamp lands to make an appropriation to drain and reclaim certain swamp and overflowed lands on sections ten and fifteen in the township of Ellington, Tuscola county.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Public improvements.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following joint resolution.

Senate joint resolution No. 21, entitled

A joint resolution for the relief of Albert B. Judd.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 342 (file No. 148), entitled

A bill to provide for the annexing of the township of White Rock, in the county of Huron, to the township of Sherman in said county.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 341, entitled

A bill to require the judge of the 16th judicial circuit to hold terms of court of the 31st judicial circuit in certain cases, and also to require the judge of the 31st judicial circuit to hold the terms of the 16th judicial circuit when the resident judge may be disqualified from acting on the

trial, or whenever the expedition of the business of either of said circuits may necessitate additional assistance.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 143 (file No. 221), entitled

A bill to amend section 1755 of chapter 58 of the compiled laws of 1857, as amended by act 32 of the public acts of 1871, as amended by act 80 of the public acts of 1881, the same being section 4588 of chapter 165 of Howell's annotated statutes, and being an act for the incorporation of charitable societies.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

(1) Amend section 3 by striking out all after word "known" in line 2, to and including word "unknown," in line 3, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and also to the occupant, if any; if the owner be not known, and there be an occupant, then to such occupant, and either or both shall be liable for the taxes on said property, and if there be no owner or occupant known, then as unknown.

(2) Section 7, paragraph 3, line 6, after county, insert word "township."

(3) Section 14, paragraph 3, line 13, after word "located," add following: "*Provided*, That the shares owned by a person residing in the county where the bank is located shall be assessed in the township or city where he resides."

(4) Section 18, line 5, strike out "shall" and insert "may."

(5) Section 19, line 27, strike out "or," before party, and add after "party" the words "or corporation."

(6) Section 19, line 105, strike out "fixtures" and insert "and other personal property used in connection therewith."

(7) Section 19, line 122, strike out "and their value."

(8) Strike out entire section 20, being lines 125, 126, 127 and 128.

(9) Section 21, line 4, strike out words "less than" after "not," and insert in lieu thereof the words "to exceed."

(10) Section 21, line 4, strike out word "nor."

(11) Section 21, line 5, strike out words "more than three hundred dollars."

(12) Section 21, lines 5 and 6, strike out words "for the use of the county."

(13) Section 21, line 6, insert after "or" the words "not to exceed."

(14) Section 34, strike out last word in line 15, also all of lines 16 and 17.

(15) SEC. 41. Before the supervisor or assessing officer shall deliver such roll to the township treasurer or city collector he shall carefully foot the several taxes thereon levied, and shall give to the township or city clerk of his township or city a statement thereof and of each tax, in writing, and such clerk shall immediately charge the amount of such taxes to the township treasurer or city collector.

(16) Section 44, line 7, strike out "two" and insert "four," add to end of section the following: And if compelled to seize property or bring suit in December, may add four per cent for collection fees, and when taxes are assessed on property occupied by tenant or tenants paying rental therefor, and he is assessed as occupant of said premises, the said tenant or tenants shall be liable for the taxes assessed on said property after the time said tax roll is delivered to the township treasurer or other collecting officer for the year, but not for more of the same than the amount of the rental may be while said tax roll is in his hands and which becomes due to the owner during such period, and may be collected in the same manner as provided for collecting the same from persons owning and occupying their own property; and said collecting officer shall notify all such persons occupying rented property, or so far as he may know of the some, as soon as the tax roll is delivered to him, by written notice, and shall note said notice and the date thereof against the description of said property on the roll.

(17) Section 46, line 5, after "county" add "or adjoining county."

(18) Section 46, line 7, after "principal" add "or other."

(19) Section 47, line 4, after "county" add "in which such treasurer resides or an adjoining county thereto."

(20) Section 53, line 1, after second word "taxes" add "or any part thereof."

(21) Section 53, line 2, after word "land" add "and the treasurer shall note across the face of the receipt in ink any portion of the taxes remaining unpaid."

(22) Section 54, line 2, strike out all after the word "collected," to and including the word "taxes" in line 6; also the words "provided further," in line 9, and all to end of section.

(23) Section 58, line 7, after word "name" add the words, "and postoffice address."

(24) Section 58, line 2, after "receive" add "under like provisions as in section 53 of this act."

(25) Section 60, line 3, after "Auditor General" add "under the provisions of this act, or to the several county treasurers of the State under the provisions of act No. 200 of the public acts of 1891."

(26) Section 61, strike out entire section and insert the following to stand as section 62.

SEC. 61. As soon as practicable after the twelfth day of June, 1893, and as soon as practicable after the first day of June in each year thereafter, the Auditor General shall prepare and file in the office of the county clerk in each county in which lands are to be sold under the provisions of this act, a petition addressed to the circuit court for said county in chancery, stating therein by apt reference to lists or schedules annexed thereto a description of all lands in such county upon which taxes have remained unpaid for more than one year prior to the first day of May, 1893, or the first day of May of the year in which the petition is filed, and the total amount of such taxes, with interest computed thereon to the time fixed for the sale thereof and a collection fee of four per cent extended separately against each parcel of land, and he shall include with and add to such total amount against each parcel seventy cents for the cost of advertising and other expenses of sale. Such petition shall pray a decree in favor of the State of Michigan against said land for the payment of the several amounts so specified therein, and in default thereof that such lands be sold. It shall be signed by the Auditor General and need not be otherwise verified, and shall be deemed equivalent to a bill in chancery to enforce the lien for such taxes, interest and charges, averring their validity, that they have not been paid, and praying for a sale to pay such lien. Lands hereafter bid off in the name of the State and thus held shall not be included in such petition. The petition shall be in a substantial record book, with the lists of lands and taxes annexed following the same therein. Such record shall be ruled with appropriate columns, one containing a description of the lands, with columns for the total amount of taxes, interest and charges claimed due on each parcel of land opposite thereto; also with blank columns, one with heading, "Parts of descriptions paid before sale or withheld;" another, "By whom paid;" another, "Amount paid before sale;" another, "Amount decreed against lands;" another, "Special orders;" another, "Interest in each parcel sold;" another, "Name of purchaser;" another, "Address of purchaser;" another, "Number of certificate;" another, "Remarks." The Auditor General may add such other columns as he may find necessary. The word petition shall be construed to include the lists annexed thereto. Said record shall be called tax record. Parts of descriptions of lands upon which taxes are paid before sale, or which are withheld from sale, the amount paid on taxes before sale, the amount of taxes, interest and charges decreed against lands, special orders made by court relating to any parcel of land or any tax, the interest in each parcel of land sold, the name of each purchaser and his address, and the number of certificate of sale shall be entered in said

record under their appropriate headings, opposite to the description of lands affected thereby.

(27) Strike out section 62 and insert the following to stand as section 62.

SEC. 62. It shall be the duty of the county clerk, on the filing of the said petition to at once present the same to the circuit judge of the county in which said delinquent tax lands are situate, and it shall be the duty of said circuit judge to make an order in the form herein prescribed, which order when so made and signed by the circuit judge, shall be countersigned by the county clerk as register in chancery and recorded by him in the proper books of his office, and thereupon it shall be the duty of said county clerk to immediately make a true copy of said order, and transmit the same to the Auditor General. Said order shall be substantially in the following form:

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.
COUNTY OF ....., }

The circuit court of the county of....., in chancery.

In the matter of the petition of the State of Michigan for the sale of certain lands for taxes assessed thereon.

On reading and filing the petition of the Auditor General of the State of Michigan, praying for a decree in favor of the State of Michigan, against each parcel of land therein described, for the amounts therein specified, claimed to be due for taxes, interest and charges on each such parcel of land, and that such lands be sold for the amounts so claimed by the State of Michigan.

It is ordered that said petition will be brought on for hearing and decree at the ..... term of this court to be held at ..... in the county of....., State of Michigan, on the ..... day of ..... A. D. 18..., at the opening of court on that day, and that all persons interested in such lands or any part thereof, desiring to contest the lien claimed thereon by the State of Michigan, for such taxes, interest and charges or any part thereof, shall appear in said court and file with the clerk thereof acting as register in chancery, their objections thereto, on or before the first day of the term of this court above mentioned, and that in default thereof the same will be taken as confessed and a decree will be taken and entered as prayed for in said petition. And it is further ordered that in pursuance of said decree the lands described in said petition for which a decree of sale shall be made, will be sold for the several taxes, interest and charges thereon as determined by such decree, on the first Monday in December thereafter, or on the day or days subsequent thereto as may be necessary to complete the sale of said list and of each and every parcel thereof, at the office of the county treasurer, or at such convenient place as shall be selected by him at the county seat of the county of ....., State of Michigan.

Witness the Hon. ....., circuit judge, and the seal of said circuit court of ..... county, this ... day of ....., A. D. 18...

Countersigned, ...,
....., *Register.* *Circuit Judge.*

(28) Section 63, line 1, strike out "statements," insert "order and petition."

(29) Section 63, line 5, strike out "statements," insert "order and petition."

(30) Section 64, line 2, strike out "statement and notice," insert "order and petition."

(31) Section 64, line 3, strike out "statement and notice," insert "order and petition."

(32) Section 64, line 7, strike out "notice, statement and list," insert "order and petition."

(33) Section 66, strike out the entire section and insert the following to stand as section 66:

SEC. 66. The Auditor General shall cause a copy of said order and a copy of said petition to be published, at least once in each week for four successive weeks next prior to the time fixed for the hearing thereof, in some newspaper published and circulating in the county where such petition is filed, to be selected by the Auditor General. Said order and petition shall both be published in the same newspaper the order immediately preceding the petition: *Provided*, In such petition it shall be sufficient to print against each parcel the "amount of taxes," "interest," "charges," "total" due on each. The cost of such notices shall be paid by the State on the warrant of the Auditor General, not exceeding forty cents for each parcel of land advertised. The proprietor of such paper shall furnish the proper county treasurer and Auditor General each with two copies of each issue containing such notices, and it shall be the duty of such Auditor General and treasurer to carefully examine the notices published and see that they are correct. Any person familiar with the facts may make an affidavit as to the publication required. The Auditor General shall not pay for any such publication until satisfied that it has been made according to law. The publication of the order and petition aforesaid shall be equivalent to a personal service of notice on all persons who are interested in the lands specified in such petition, of the filing thereof, of all proceedings thereon and of the sale of the lands under the decree, and shall give the court jurisdiction to hear such petition, determine all questions arising thereon, and to decree a sale of such lands for the payment of all taxes, interest and charges thereon. The circuit court in chancery shall have jurisdiction to hear, try and determine the matters alleged in such petition, even though the amount involved therein be less than one hundred dollars.

It shall be the duty of the prosecuting attorney to prosecute all such proceedings on the part of the State. If he shall refuse, neglect or be unable to do so, the court shall appoint some competent person to take charge of and prosecute the same, who shall be paid by the county. The board of supervisors may employ some competent person to prosecute such proceedings or assist therein. Proof of the publication of the order and petition herein required shall be filed in the office of the county clerk before any final order is made. Any person against whom a decree has not been taken desiring to contest the validity of any tax shall file in writing his objections thereto with the clerk of the county, on or before the day fixed in said notice for the hearing of such petition, and shall not be allowed to make any objection not therein specified. If within the first five days after the day fixed in such notice for the hearing of such petition it shall be made to appear to the court that any person has been prevented from filing objections to any tax, without fault on his part, such further time may be granted for that purpose as may seem proper, not exceeding five days. The court shall give precedence to the hearing of such petition over all other business, shall examine, consider and determine the matters

therein stated and objections made in a summary manner without other pleadings, and make final decree thereon as the right of the case may be. The taxes specified in the petition shall be presumed to be legal and a decree be made therefor unless the contrary is proved. Evidence shall be taken in open court. All oral testimony shall, at the request of any person interested, be written down and filed. The court may make such orders from time to time as may be necessary to facilitate the proceedings, and shall decide all questions as to the admissibility of evidence, and the decision so made shall be final, and not subject to review or appeal. If the lands of two or more persons have been assessed together, the court may, if practicable, separate the same and apportion to each parcel its just proportion of the taxes, interest, and charges. If any tax shall be found illegal, it shall be rejected. If a part of any tax shall be found illegal, such part shall be set aside, and the remaining tax shall be decreed valid. The total amount of taxes, interest and charges, as fixed by the court, shall be entered by the register of the court opposite each parcel of land in the column of said record under the heading, "Amount decreed against lands." If the court shall make any order setting aside the taxes on any parcel of land, or any part thereof, or any special order relating to any particular parcel of land, or taxes thereon a brief entry of such order shall be made upon said record opposite such land or tax, which shall be signed by the judge of the court, either by his full name or initials, and such entry shall have the same effect as if made and entered as a part of the final decree. At least ten days prior to the time fixed for the sale of such lands, the court shall make a final decree in favor of the State of Michigan for such taxes, interest, and charges as shall be valid, and determine the total amount thereof chargeable against each parcel of land, and shall order and decree that such several parcels of land or so much of each as may be necessary to satisfy the amount fixed by such decree, shall severally be sold as the law directs. Such decree shall be considered as a several decree in favor of the State of Michigan against each parcel of land for each tax included therein. The court may decree such costs against a person contesting any tax as may be equitable, if the tax, or any part thereof, which remains unpaid, be adjudged valid.

(34) SEC. 67. Strike out section 67 and insert the following to stand as section 67:

SEC. 67. Such final decree shall be entered in the chancery record for recording decrees of such court, have the usual caption for decrees, and shall be substantially in the following form: "In the matter of the petition of the State of Michigan for the sale of certain lands for taxes assessed thereon."" The said petition and the matters therein stated, and the objections filed to certain taxes therein claimed, if any such objections are filed, came on to be heard, and proof of the due publication of notice of hearing of such petitions having been made and filed, and after hearing all parties interested therein: It is ordered, adjudged, and decreed that the amount of taxes, interest, collection fee, and charges set down in the column headed 'Amount decreed against lands,' in the tax record of which such petition forms a part, are valid, and decree is made in favor of the State of Michigan therefor against each parcel of said land or the amount set down in said column opposite to such parcel. It is further ordered, adjudged, and decreed that said several parcels of land, or such interest therein as may be necessary to satisfy the amount herein decreed against the same, shall be severally sold as the law directs. It

is further adjudged and decreed that the several special orders made by this court, and entered on such tax record, are made a part hereof, with the same effect as if entered herein." If costs are adjudged against any person contesting a tax, the decree therefor shall be in proper form and execution awarded. The decree shall be signed by the judge and countersigned by the clerk. Immediately after the entry of such decree, the county clerk shall make a certified copy thereof, and annex the same to the tax record. He shall thereupon deliver such tax record to the county treasurer, in whose office the same shall remain except as needed in the office of the county clerk. If from any cause the hearing on said petition is not had on the day fixed in the notice therefor, the same shall stand continued from day to day during the term without the entry of any order of continuance, until disposed of, and if it shall for any reason be found impracticable to hear and determine the objections to all of the taxes specified in such petition within the time herein fixed for that purpose, then and in that case the court shall, within the time herein named, make a final decree as to all taxes to which no objections have been filed, and also those to which objections have been filed, which the court has then heard and passed upon. Such decrees shall be signed and recorded as hereinbefore provided. The court shall proceed with the consideration of the remaining taxes embraced in such petition, and objections thereto, and as soon as practicable dispose of the same by one or more decrees and in such form as the court may determine, which shall be entered in the chancery record of decrees of such court, and the same shall describe the lands and specify the total amount of taxes, interest, and charges on each parcel thereof. The county clerk shall immediately thereafter deliver to the county treasurer a certified copy of such decree, to be kept and used as hereinbefore provided. Such copy of decree shall be annexed to the tax record and shall thereby become a part thereof. If from any cause no decree shall be made on such petition as to the taxes therein named, or any part thereof, the Auditor General shall, as soon as practicable, file a new petition for decree and sale, and proceedings thereon shall be the same and a decree and sale made as herein provided.

In case a decree is given in favor of the validity of any disputed tax, and the person contesting its validity desires to appeal to the Supreme Court, he shall be allowed to do so on paying the amount of the decree to the county treasurer, within ten days after the date of such decree, who shall retain the same until the decision of the Supreme Court, and pay the same to the party interested if such tax is held invalid; if held valid, then such money shall be credited to the proper fund. By such payment the land in question shall be discharged from the lien of the tax. In case the decision is against the validity of any tax, either the county treasurer or the Auditor General shall have a right to direct an appeal therefrom to the Supreme Court on behalf of the State, but there shall be no sale for the tax held invalid, until such decision has been reversed or modified by the Supreme Court.

The proceedings where the validity of any tax is in dispute shall, where no other provision is made herein, follow the ordinary chancery practice, and the court may allow amendments as in ordinary cases. Notice shall be given of all appeals to the supreme court and such appeal shall be claimed, entered and bond for costs given, within twenty days after the making and entering of the decree. When the appeal is taken in behalf of the State, no bond shall be required. The judge shall, at the

request of either party and on due notice, settle in proper form a case containing so much of the record and proceedings as may be necessary to the due understanding thereof by the supreme court, and if appeal shall be taken such case shall be transmitted to such court. An appeal as to the tax on any parcel shall not delay or affect the proceedings for the sale of any land on which there has been no appeal.

(35) Section 68, line 2, strike out "advertised as," and insert "included in the decree."

(36) Section 68, line 3, strike out "advertised," and insert "included in such decree."

(37) Section 69, line 1, strike out "Auditor General," and insert "court."

(38) Section 69, line 2, strike out advertised to be sold," insert "included in such petition."

(39) Section 69, line 3, strike out "Auditor General," and insert "court."

(40) Amend line 7 so as to read as follows, "state, county or township for such taxes, or the right to *include* the same *in* any subsequent *petition*, for sale as in."

(41) Section 70, line 1, strike out "October," insert "December."

(42) Section 70, line 2, strike "lists," insert "decree."

(43) Section 70, line 5, strike "lists," insert "decree."

(44) Section 70, line 13, strike "lists," insert "decree."

(45) SEC. 70. After "returned" in line 43 add the following: "As soon as possible after the conclusion of any sale, and within twenty days after the day named in the notice for the commencement thereof, the county treasurer shall make and file with the clerk of the court a report of such sale, therein referring to such tax record for the particulars thereof. All sales shall stand confirmed, subject to the right of redemption provided for in section seventy-four, unless objections thereto are filed within eight days after the time limited for filing such report without the entry of an order or further notice. The practice with reference to setting aside such sale shall be the same, so far as applicable, as in a sale in equity on the foreclosure of mortgages: *Provided*, No sale shall be set aside for inadequacy of price, except upon payment of amount bid upon such sale with interest and costs: *And provided further*, That no sale shall be set aside after confirmation, except in cases where the taxes were paid, or the property was exempt from taxation. In such cases the owner of such lands may move the court at any time within one year after he shall have notice of such sale, to set the same aside, and the court may so order upon such terms as may be just. As soon as sales are confirmed, the county treasurer shall make full reports of the same to the Auditor General, giving a description of the property sold, the amounts for which the same was sold, and the names of the purchasers, and thereupon the Auditor General shall, after the period of redemption provided in section seventy-four has expired, execute deeds to the purchasers in such form as shall be determined by him."

(41) Section 70, line 34, after the words "per annum," insert the words "and the charges, collection fee and cost of advertising provided in section 59 of this act."

(42) Section 70, line 45, strike "advertised," insert "decreed;"

(43) Section 70, line 58, strike "November," insert "January."

(44) Section 71, line 2, after "A" add "separate," after "writing," add "for each parcel."

(45) Section 71, strike out lines 23, 24, 25 and 26.

(46) Section 72, line 3, after "execute," add "and deliver,"
(47) Section 78, line 5, strike "September," insert "October."
(48) Section 78, line 5, strike "October," insert "December."
(49) Section 79, line 3, strike "October," insert "December."
(50) Section 84, line 6, strike "ed" off "taxed."
(51) Section 95, line 4, strike "were," insert "was."
(52) Section 106, line 3, strike "list," insert "petition."
(53) Section 106, line 3, strike "sent," insert "filed with."
(54) Section 106, line 3, strike "treasurer," insert "clerk."
(55) Section 106, line 4, strike "list," insert "petition."
(56) Section 106, line 4, strike "treasurer," insert "county clerk."
(57) Section 108, add the following: "The authorities of any city or village which by its charter, has the right to sell lands for unpaid taxes or assessments, may provide for judicial sale of such lands. Such sale shall be made on petition filed in behalf of the city or village in interest and shall conform, as near as practicable, to the provisions as to sale in this act."
(58) Section 110, lines 7 and 8, after "that," strike out "the city of Detroit," and insert in lieu thereof "all cities in this State."
(59) Section 120, line 5, after "dollars" insert following: "Or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed a period of six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court."
(60) Section 120, line 10, after "dollars" insert same as above.
(61) Section 120, line 13, after "dollars" insert same.
(62) Section 120, line 8, strike "interest," insert "intention."
(63) Section 121, line 10, by adding after the word "thereto" the following: "The board of State Auditors shall examine and audit all properly certified claims for services rendered and expenses incurred under the provisions of sections 121, 127 and 128 of this act.
(64) Section 123, line 1, after Auditor General, insert the following: "and for the other purposes of this act."
(65) Section 123, line 7, strike "session laws and (———)
(66) Section 124, strike out "written amendment."
(67) Section 126, strike "session laws and (———)
(68) Section 126, line 6, after "1891" insert the following: "And all other acts and parts of acts in anywise contravening any of the provisions of this act."
(69) Section 127, line 2, strike "five," insert "three."
(70) Section 127, line 4, after office" insert following: "When requested so to do by the township board of the township wherein such delinquent lands are situated."
(71) Section 136, line 3, strike out words "or more."
(72) Add new section to stand as section 137, as follows:
"SEC. 137. The circuit court may on application, put the purchaser of any lands sold under the provisions of this act in possession of the premises by writs of assistance."

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title of the same, to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon, and for the collection of taxes heretofore and hereafter levied, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, establishing and continuing such liens, providing for the sale and conveyance of lands delinquent for taxes, and for the inspection and disposition of lands bid

off to the State and not redeemed or purchased, and to repeal act No. 200 of the public acts of 1891, and all other acts and parts of acts in anywise contravening any of the provisions of this act.

In the passage of which as thus amended, and with the title so amended, the house has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take effect June 12, 1893.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Steel, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table

Senate joint resolution No. 23, entitled

Joint resolution directing the Board of State Auditors to settle the claim of Mrs. Mary A. Roop, of the township of Pine River, Gratiot county, Michigan, and to take such action therein as they may deem best.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

Mr. Clapp offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to draw pay checks in payment for per diem of Senate employés only on being advised by the Sergeant-at-Arms that the work assigned each employé has been fully completed and performed.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 73, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 22 of the laws of 1889, entitled "An act to amend act No. 28 of the public acts of 1877, entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of assistant prosecuting attorneys for the county of Wayne,' as amended by act No. 7 of the public acts of 1883, and act No. 109 of the public acts of 1885, so as to provide for the appointment of two assistant prosecuting attorneys of said county and defining their powers and duties, by providing for the appointment of four assistant prosecuting attorneys for the county of Wayne, and defining their duties and powers."

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 202 (file No. 198), entitled

A bill to amend section 22 of act No. 38 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to amend act No. 82 of the session laws of 1873, approved April 15, 1873, by adding one new section thereto to stand as section 22, providing for the organization of mutual fire insurance companies to insure property in cities and villages exclusively.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce	
Champion	Gibson	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins	
Fox	Mellen		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 838 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to amend section one of act No. 147 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a county commissioner of schools, for the appointment of school examiners, and to define the duties and fix the compensation for the same, and to repeal all existing acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act," approved June 14, 1891.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Mugford		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred

House bill No. 803 (file No. 229), entitled

A bill to amend sections 3, 8, 11, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to establish a board of police and fire commissioners in the city of Grand Rapids, and to prescribe their powers and duties," approved May 24, 1881, and the several acts amendatory thereof, approved May 6, 1891.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Burt	Garvelink	Morrow	
Clapp	Gibson	Mugford	
Clark	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Doran	Hough	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Doran moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 8, 11, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to establish a board of police and fire commissioners in the city of Grand Rapids, and to prescribe their powers and duties, approved May 24, 1881, and the several acts amendatory thereof," approved May 6, 1891.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred,

Senate bill No. 485, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Marine City, in the county of St. Clair," and the acts amendatory thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend act No. 500 of the local acts of 1887, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Marine City in the county of St Clair, and to repeal act No. 328 of the local acts of 1885, entitled 'An act to reincorporate the village of Marine City,'" approved April 23, 1885, as amended by adding a new section thereto to stand as section 3, and by renumbering

the present sections Nos. 3, 4 and 5 of said act, to stand as sections 4, 5 and 6 respectively.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

On motion of Mr. French,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe	
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mellen	Wilkins	27

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. French,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred House bill No. 88 (file No. 153), entitled

A bill to establish a home and training school for the feeble minded and epileptic, and making an appropriation for the same.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred House bill No. 637 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill appropriating money for building, repairs and other necessary improvements at the State Prison at Jackson.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without

amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

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Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on military affairs:

The committee on Military affairs, to whom was referred

House bill No. 819 (file No. 380), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purpose of marking the position of Daniels' Michigan battery and the four companies of Michigan troops in the United States sharpshooters on the "high-water mark" monument on the battle field of Gettysburg.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

WM. MEARS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The bill was referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations to whom was referred,

House bill No. 488 (file No 374), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

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Report accepted and committee discharged.

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House bill No. 579 (file No. 307), entitled

A bill to amend sections 6, 8, 10 and 11 of chapter 2, section 31 of chapter 6, section 40 of chapter 7, sections 58, 60 and 61 of chapter 9, sections 93, 95 and 106 of chapter 13 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 873, 875, 877, 878, 898, 907, 925, 927, 928, 960, 962 and 973 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to repeal sections 12, 13, 14 and 15 of chapter 2 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 879, 880, 881 and 882 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Military affairs:

The committee on Military affairs, to whom was referred,

House bill No. 503 (file No. 369), entitled

A bill establishing a home for soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the late civil war, their wives and mothers, and making an appropriation for the erection and maintenance thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

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Report accepted and committee dischared.

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By the committee on Elections:

The committee on Elections, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 458 (file No. 96), entitled

A bill to provide for the final determination of any controversy or contest concerning the appointment of all or any of the presidential electors of this State.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 792 (file No. 261), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 9 of title 2; section 9 of title 3; sections 4, 12, 25 and 32 of title 4; sections 7, 8, 10 and 11 of title 5; sections 6, 10 and 36 of title 6, of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids,' approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; and to add to title 3 of said act 6 new sections, to be known and numbered as sections 19, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of said title 3 respectively; and to repeal section 23 of title

amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

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CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

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4; sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of title 6, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of title 7 of said act.

Pursuant to the Senate's request therefor.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Doran moved to suspend the rule limiting the time within which a motion to reconsider a vote may be made.

Which motion prevailed, two-thirds of all the Senators voting therefor.

Mr. Doran moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed the above named bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

Mr. Doran moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the amendment made by the committee on Cities and villages to line 6 of section 4, title II of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question then being on concurring in the above named amendment.

The Senate non-concurred.

Mr. Doran moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 6, of section 4, of title II the words "second years," and inserting in lieu thereof the wo.ds "two years."

2. By striking out of line 5, of section 4 of title II the word "mayor," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "common council."

3. By inserting in line 6 of section 4 of title II after the word "shall" the word "also."

4. By striking out of line 8 of section 4 in title II the words "the common council" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "they."

5. By inserting in line 36 of section 8 of title V, after the word "city" the words "and the compensation of the members of said Board of Review shall be fixed by the common council of said city the same to be paid out of the general or contingent funds of said city."

6. By striking out all of section 12 of title IV.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	French	Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Clark	Gilbert	Steel	
Crane	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Doran	Jewell	Wilkins	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin		23

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Doran moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 9 of title 2; section 9 of title 3; sections 4, 25 and 32 of title 4; sections 7, 8, 10 and 11 of title 5; sections 6, 10 and

36 of title 6, of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids, approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; and to add to title 3 of said act six new sections, to be known and numbered as sections 19, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of said title 3 respectively; and to repeal section 23 of title 4; sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of title 6, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of title 7 of said act.

Which motion prevailed and the title was so amended.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 193, entitled

A bill to repeal section 32 and to amend section 33 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Central railroad company," approved March 28, 1846.

Was read a third time, and pendiug the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Jewell moved to amend the bill,

By striking out all of section 33 and inserting in lieu thereof the following, to stand as section 33.

SEC. 33. The said company shall, on or before the first day of July in each year pay to the State Treasurer on the statement of the Auditor General, a specific tax upon the property and business of said railroad operated by said corporation within this state, which tax shall be computed in the following manner, viz.: Upon all such gross income not exceeding $2,000 per mile of said road actually operated within this State, 2 per cent of such gross income; upon such gross income in excess of $2,000 and not exceeding $4,000 per mile, two and one-half per cent thereof; upon all such gross income in excess of $4,000 and not exceeding $6,000 per mile, three per cent thereof; and upon all such gross income in excess of $6,000 per mile and not in excess of $8,000 per mile, three and one-half per cent thereof; and upon all such gross income in excess of $8,000 per mile of said road so operated, four per cent thereof; and inasmuch as said railroad lies partly within and partly without this State.

Prima facie the gross income of said company for the purpose of taxation hereunder shall be such portion of its gross income derived from the operation of its said entire road as the length of its operated portion of said road lying within this State bears to the whole length of said road operated by said company: *Provided*, That if said company shall claim that its income derived from the operation of said road within this State is a less proportion than the miles of said road operated in this State bear to the entire mileage of its said road, the question of the amount of its taxable income shall be determined by the State Board of Railroad Crossings, so-called, consisting of the Commissioner of Railroads, Secretary of State and Attorney General upon application to said board in that behalf by said railroad company, and the determination of said board shall be conclusive; and in like manner, if it shall be claimed by the State that the proportion of the income of said company from said road in this State exceeds the proportion of miles of said road within this State to the said entire road of said company, the question of such income shall be determined by said board upon reasonable notice given to said railroad company of the claim

of the State in that behalf, and the time when and place where said board will consider the same, and the determination of the said board shall be conclusive.

The taxes so paid shall be in lieu of all other taxes upon the property of said company, except such real estate as is owned and can be conveyed by such corporation under the laws of this State, and not actually occupied in the exercise of its franchises, and not necessary, or in use in the proper operation of its road, but such real estate so excepted shall be liable to taxation in the same manner and for the same purposes and to the same extent, and subject to the same conditions and limitations as to the collection and return of taxes thereon as is other real estate in the several townships or municipalities within which the same may be situated.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

Mr. Clapp moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding at the end of section 2 of the bill the following:

"*And provided*, That this act shall in no wise be construed as an extension or renewal of the charter of said company, and that said company waives any and all claims of damages by reason of this amendment to their charter when the same shall be accepted by said company; and provided further, that this amendment shall only apply to the line of road now operated under the original charter and amendments thereto.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was so amended.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Gibson	Mugford	
Clapp	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Clark	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Sabin	
Doran	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French	Mears		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

By a vote of two-thirds all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 80 (file No. 242), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower executors, administrators and guardians to sell real estate of deceased persons and of persons under guardianship, at private sale, and to provide for the disposition and investment of the proceeds of such sale, under direction of the probate courts of this State.

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Fox,
The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.
The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Steel at the bar of the Senate.
On motion of Mr. Fox,
Mr. Steel was admitted within the bar, excused and took his seat.
The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. Barnard at the bar of the Senate.
On motion of Mr. Fox,
Mr. Barnard was admitted within the bar, excused and took his seat.
Mr. Jewell moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinately postponed.
Which motion did not prevail.
The question being on the passage of the bill,
The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Burt	Gibson	Sabin	
Clapp	Gilbert	Steel	
Clark	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Crane	Hough	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Wilkins	
Fox	Mellen		23

NAYS.

Mr. Jewell	1

Title agreed to.
Mr. Fox, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table,
Senate bill No. 411 (file No. 241), entitled
A bill for the ascertainment and protection of the interests of the State in escheated estates.
Which motion prevailed.
The bill was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,
Mr. Fox moved to amend the bill by striking out of lines 2 and 3 of section 3 the words "shall have an office at the capital in the city of Lansing."
Which motion prevailed.
And the bill was so amended.
Mr. Clark moved to amend the bill as follows:
By inserting at the end of section 3 the words "*Provided*, That in no year shall the salary paid as aforesaid exceed the amount of money received by the State from such escheated estates.
Which motion prevailed.
And the bill was so amended.
The question being on the passage of the bill,
The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin

Mr. Crane	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Steel	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss	
Fox	Mellen	Wilkins	
French	Mugford		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take effect July 1, 1893.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 546 (file No. 239), entitled

A bill to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes or ladders, for the passage of fish through dams across the Muskegon river and its tributaries.

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof.

Mr. McGinley moved to amend the bill

By inserting in line 3 of section 1 after the word "tributaries" the words "the Clinton river and its tributaries in Macomb county and the Black river in Sanilac and Huron counties."

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Brundage moved to amend the bill as follows:

By inserting at the end of section 2 the words, "Provided that the provisions of this act apply to Muskegon county."

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Brundage moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill,

Which motion did not prevail.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill as amended was then passed, a majoriiy of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	
Doran	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Fleshiem	Hopkins	Pierce	
Fox	Hough	Sabin	
French	McGinley	Turnbull	
Garvelink	Mellen	Weiss	18

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Wilkins	2

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Hopkins moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes or ladders for the passage of fish through dams across the Muskegon river and its tributaries, Clinton river and its tributaries in Macomb county, and the

Black river in Sanilac and Huron counties, and to provide a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act.

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

The Senate took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

AFTER RECESS.

8 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

Leave of absence was granted to himself from this evening's session.

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER,

Being the further consideration of

Senate bill No. 257 (file No. 172), entitled

A bill to prohibit the opening of barber shops on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, for the purpose of carrying on or engaging in the art or calling of hair cutting, shaving, hair dressing and shampooing, or in any work pertaining to the trade or business of a barber, on the said first day of the week, commonly called Sunday.

SPECIAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the special order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Champion to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

Senate bill No. 257 (file No. 172), entitled

A bill to prohibit the opening of barber shops on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, for the purpose of carrying on or engaging in the art or calling of hair cutting, shaving, hair dressing and shampooing, or in any work pertaining to the trade or business of a barber, on the said first day of the week, commonly called Sunday.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend its passage.

SCHUYLER CHAMPION, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The above named bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order,

Whereupon,

The President called Mr. Turnbull to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

I.

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning and deepening Black river, in Sanilac county, for Sanitary purposes, and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of said State Board of Health.

House bill No. 488 (file No. 374), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia.

House bill No. 88 (file No. 153), entitled

A bill to establish a home and training school for the feeble minded and epileptic, and making an appropriation for the same.

House bill No. 637 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill appropriating money for building repairs and other necessary improvements at the State Prison at Jackson.

House bill No. 60 (file 311), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 79 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to authorize the judges of probate of certain counties to appoint a register, and prescribing his duties and compensation" as amended by subsequent acts amendatory thereof, being section 535 of Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 579 (file No. 307), entitled

A bill to amend sections 8, 10 and 11 of chapter 2, section 31 of chapter 6, section 40 of chapter 7, sections 58, 60 and 61 of chapter 9, sections 93, 95 and 106 of chapter 13 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 873, 875, 877, 878, 898, 907, 925, 927, 928, 960, 962 and 973 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to repeal sections 12, 13, 14 and 15 of chapter 2, and section 29 of chapter 5 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 873, 879, 880, 881, 882 and 896 of Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 429 (file No. 258), entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation for the preparation, publication and distribution of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the Michigan superintendents of the poor for the years 1893 and 1894.

House bill No. 246, entitled

A bill to secure women citizens who are otherwise qualified the right to vote in school, village, city and other municipal elections.

Senate bill No. 254 (file No. 88), entitled

A bill to protect State charitable and reformatory institutions from the introduction of contagious and infectious diseases and from the expense of the transmittal of epileptics.

House bill No. 123 (file No. 340), entitled

A bill to provide the manner of proving the breeding of horses.

Senate bill No 458 (file No. 96), entitled

A bill to provide for the final determination of any controversy or contest concerning the appointment of all or any of the presidential electors of this State.

House bill No. 893 (file No. 219), entitled

A bill to amend section 32 of chapter 189 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 125 of the session laws of 1877, being section 7578 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the return and summoning of jurors,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

JAMES D. TURNBULL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Weiss moved that the Senate take up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Pending which,

Mr. Mears moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Thursday, May 25, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: a quorum present.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

No. 243. By Mr. Turnbull: Petition from citizens of Montmorency county, praying that no material change be made in the present tax law.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The petition was ordered spread on the Journal, as follows:

To the Senate and the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan:

We, the undersigned residents and taxpayers of Montmorency county, humbly represent unto your honorable body that the tax law of 1891 has done more to make the delinquent taxpayer pay his tax, and thus lessen the burdens of the resident taxpayers than any law in force previous to it, and in view of the fact we petition your honorable body to make no material changes in the said law in so far as it tends to give the purchasers of tax lands a title in fee to said lands. And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

Referred to the committee on Taxation.

Mr. Barnard, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee of the whole from the further consideration of

House bill No. 362 (file No. 366), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of act number 174 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to amend sections 7, 30, 36 and 41 of article 2, and sections 3 and 5 of article 3, and section 14 of article 4, and to add two new sections to article 2 to stand as sections 45 and 46, and a new section to article 5 to stand as section 22 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads, and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,'" approved May 1, 1873, being act number 198, session laws 1873 as amended by act number 174 of the public acts of 1891.

And that the bill be placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McGinley, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That Mark M. Powers, clerk of Judiciary committee, Miss Cora Webber, clerk of Elections committee, G. S. Frensel, clerk of Finance and appropriations committee, Thos. Farrell, clerk of committee on Cities and villages, Florence C. Betts, Engrossing and enrolling clerk, be and they are each hereby allowed the extra compensation of $2.00 per day during the present session of the Legislature for extra work done by them.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The resolution was laid on the table.

Mr. Clark moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate bill No. 56 (file No. 135), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 3, 7, 14, 16, 17, 23, 26, 32, 36, 43 and 44 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and (deception) deceptions at elections in this State."

Be taken from the order of third reading of bills and re-referred to the committee on Elections.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so referred.

Mr. Wilkins moved to discharge the committee on Judiciary from the further consideration of

House bill No. 667 (file No. 372), entitled

A bill to amend sections 6 and 8 of act No. 49 of the public acts of 1891, being an act entitled "An act to amend sections 6 and 8 of act No. 136 of the public acts of 1885, being an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment, compensation and duties of a stenographer for the sixteenth judicial circuit.'"

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Hopkins, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafrer delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill.

Mr. Steel demanded a division of the question.

The Senate then concurred in the first named amendment, a majority of of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Crane	Hopkins	Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Sabin	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French	Mears		17

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Hough	
Doran			4

Mr. Hopkins moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in the above named amendment,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Steel then withdrew his demand for a division of the question.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The Senate non-concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	2

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pascoe	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French	Mellen		20

Mr. Hopkins moved that a committee of conference be appointed to whom may be referred the matters of difference between the two houses regarding the above named bill,

Which motion prevailed.

And the President announced as such committee, on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Hopkins, Steel and Burt.

Mr. Fleshiem by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee of the whole be discharged from the consideration of the following named bills, and the same be placed on the order of third reading of bills:

Senate bill No. 39 (file No. 223), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of companies to issue abstracts, certificates and guarantees of title, and to define their powers and duties.

Senate bill No. 76 (file No. 99), entitled

A bill to establish uniformity in the taking of depositions for use in judicial proceedings.

Senate bill No. 92 (file No. 257), entitled

A bill to amend sections 43, 44, 45, 46, 47 and 48, title 3, chapter 6 of the compiled laws of 1871, being consecutive sections 179, 180, 181, 182,

183 and 184 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State, relative to the county canvass, etc., of votes cast at general elections in this State.

Senate bills Nos. 151 and 170 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill to determine, extend and fix the liability of railroad corporations and companies, for personal injuries to employés.

Senate bill No. 168, entitled

A bill to amend "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," being act No. 205 of the session laws of 1887, approved June 21, 1887, as amended by act No. 257 of the session laws of 1889, approved July 31, 1879, as amended by act No. 10 of the session laws of 1891, approved February 18, 1891.

Senate bill No. 190 (file No. 173), entitled

An act to amend section 1 of act 182 of the laws of 1891, relative to the payment of a franchise fee by corporations.

Senate bill No. 205 (file No. 110), entitled

A bill to amend section 19 of act No. 79, of the laws of 1873, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a Commissioner of Railroads, and to define his powers and duties, and fix his compensation," approved April 10, 1873, being compiler's section 3303 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State.

Senate bill No. 257 (file No. 248), entitled

A bill to provide for the amicable settlement of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employés, and to authorize the creation of a State board of mediation and arbitration.

Senate bill 270, entitled

A bill to regulate the crossing of railroad tracks by lines of train railway, electric and street railway lines and tracks.

Senate bill No. 281 (file No. 185), entitled

A bill to regulate fishing in Wild Fowl bay.

Senate bill No. 290 (file No. 197), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 186 of the public acts of 1867, entitled "An act to authorize dissection in certain cases for the advancement of science," approved March 27, 1867, as amended by act No. 113 of the public acts of 1871, act No. 138 of the public acts of 1875, act No. 16 of the public acts of 1881, and act No. 83 of the public acts of 1885, the same being compiler's section 2284 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 355 (file No. 229), entitled

A bill to regulate the possession, use, transportation and sale of fish and game.

Senate bill No. 358 (file No. 117), entitled

A bill to amend sections twenty, twenty-one and twenty-two of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, the same being sections 3334, 3335 and 3336, of Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate bill No. 448 (file No. 256), entitled

A bill to provide for the sale and conveyance of the property of school districts in this State, and for the distribution of the proceeds of such sales, in case of the depopulation of any such school districts.

House bill No. 454 (file No. 376), entitled

A bill to authorize the cities and villages of this State which own and

operate electric light works for the purpose of lighting their streets and other public places, to furnish and supply electric light to the inhabitants of such cities and villages.

House bill No. 189 (file No. 371), entitled

A bill to provide for the discharge from record of statements claiming liens upon real estate.

House bill No. 313 (file No. 323), entitled

A bill for the incorporation of associations known as young women's christian associations.

House bill No. 341 (file No. 302), entitled

A bill to amend chapter sixty-seven of the revised statutes of eighteen hundred and forty-six as amended by act number thirty-five of the public acts of 1881, and act number 169 of the public acts of 1883, and also by act number 168 of the public acts of 1889, being section 5772*a*, of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to the title of real property by descent.

House Bill No. 413 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 225 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton now comprising the fifth judicial circuit," the same being section 6522*d*1 of the third volume of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

House bill No. 532 (file No. 220), entitled

A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 150 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled 'An act to revist the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,'" approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, and to add two new sections to said act to stand as sections 47 and 48, the same being section 46 of paragraph 3357*b* of the third volume Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 536 (file No. 288), entitled

A bill to provide for the placing of juries, while engaged in the trial of cases of murder, under the charge of a competent officer duly sworn as prescribed in this act, and to define the duties of certain officers in relation thereto, and to provide a penalty for any wilful violation thereof.

House bill No. 555 (file No. 162), entitled

A bill to regulate the construction of the tracks of railroads and street railroads across each other, and the stringing of wires, electric or other, over railroad tracks, and relative to the maintenance of such tracks heretofore so constructed and wires heretofore so strung.

House bill No. 553 (file No. 252), entitled

A bill to provide for ascertaining, adjudicating and determining the termination of life estates in real and personal property.

House bill No. 587 (file No. 326), entitled

A bill to amend section 45 of act No. 137 of the session laws of 1887, said act being "An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of chapter 170 of the compiled laws of Michigan of 1871 being compiler's sections 6231 and 6232 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to divorce, and

to add three new sections to said chapter to stand as sections 44, 45 and 46" [the same being section 6263*b* of 3d Howell's annotated statutes].

House bill No. 655 (file No. 202), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of Jackson county, and the Jackson county agricultural society, to sell certain lands, and to invest the proceeds of such sale in the purchase of other lands, and in the improvements thereof.

House bill No. 671 (file No. 148), entitled

A bill to amend section 124 of chapter 178 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 99 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to amend section 124 of act No. 1 of the public acts of 1874, entitled 'An act to amend section 124 of an act entitled 'An act to amend chapter 93 of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled 'Of courts held by justices of the peace,' approved February 13, 1885, being section 5372 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the transfer of cases in justice's courts," being compiler's section No. 6937 of Howell's annotated statutes.

House bill No. 788 (file No. 341), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the uniform division of the Knights of Maccabees.

House bill No. 804 (file No. 337), entitled

A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 32 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 1348 of said compilation, as amended by various acts of the Legislature, the same being section 1477 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended by act No. 102 of the public acts of 1891, relative to town plats.

House bill No. 830 (file No. 354), entitled

A bill to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a pardoning board, prescribing the powers and duties, and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith,

Which motion prevailed,

Two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 583 (file No. 346), entitled

A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for the prevention of cruelty to children,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Clapp	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
French	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 584 (file No. 358), entitled

A bill to provide a penalty for cruelty to children,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Garvelink	Morrow	
Clapp	Gibson	Mugford	
Clark	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Doran	Hough	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 60 (file No. 311), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 79 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to authorize the judges of probate of certain counties to appoint a register, and prescribing his duties and compensation," as amended by subsequent acts amendatory thereof, being section 535 of Howell's annotated statutes,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clark	Hough	Pierce	
Doran	Jewell	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mellen	Weiss	
Garvelink	Morrow	Wilkins	
Gibson			22

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Sabin	
Clapp			4

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 88 (file No. 153), entitled

A bill to establish a home and training school for the feeble-minded and epileptic, and making an appropriation for the same,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow
Burt	Gibson	Mugford

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Pascoe
Clark	Hopkins	Steel
Crane	Hough	Turnbull
Earle	Jewell	Weiss
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins
Fox.		25

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Sabin	2

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

By a vote of two-thirds all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 637 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill appropriating money for building repairs and other necessary improvements at the State Prison at Jackson,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow
Burt	Gibson	Mugford
Clapp	Gilbert	Pascoe
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin
Crane	Hough	Turnbull
Earle	Jewell	Weiss
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins
Fox		25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 488 (file No. 374), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	French	Mugford
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe
Champion	Gibson	Steel
Clapp	Hopkins	Turnbull
Crane	Hough	Weiss
Earle	Jewell	Wilkins
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 362 (file No. 366), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to amend sections 7, 30, 36, and 41 of article 2, and sections 3 and 5 of article 3, and section 14 of article 4, and to add two new sections to article 2, to stand as sections 45 and 46, and a new section to article 5, to stand as section 22 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads, and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,'" approved May 1, 1873, being act No. 198, session laws of 1873 as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1891,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof.

Mr. Jewell moved to amend the bill by striking out of section 3 after the word "situated" lines 30 to 39 inclusive,

Which motion did not prevail.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe
Clapp	Gilbert	Pierce
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin
Crane	Hough	Steel
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fleshiem	Mellen	Wilkins
Fox		28

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Mr. Turnbull, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That extra pay during the session be allowed, in addition to the regular compensation, to Dennis E. Alward, Secretary of the Senate, at the rate $4 per day, for extra work performed by him,

Which resolution was adopted.

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 893 (file No. 219), entitled

A bill to amend section 32 of chapter 189 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act number 125 of the session laws of 1877, being section 7578 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the return and summoning of jurors,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clark	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French	Morrow		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 306 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to provide for taking a census of the population and industries of this State,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Morrow moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Pending which

Mr. Jewell, by unanimous consent, moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. By striking out of line 2 of section 14 the words "three dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two dollars and fifty cents."

2. By striking out section 20,

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The question then recurring on the motion of Mr. Morrow to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill, Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Jewell	
Clark	Hough	Morrow	
Doran			7

NAYS.

Mr. Earle	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Sabin	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fox	Mears	Weiss	
French	Pierce	Wilkins	12

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Jewell moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Burt, McLaughlin, Mugford and Pascoe.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

All further proceedings under the call were dispensed with.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Earle	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Sabin	
Fleshiem	Hopkins	Steel	
Fox	McGinley	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Pierce		14

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Doran	Mr. Jewell	
Brundage	Gilbert	Mellen	
Champion	Hough	Morrow	
Clark			10

Mr. Pierce moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 691 (file No. 284), entitled

A bill to provide for the judicial investigation and determination of titles to land so as to confirm and establish the same, and for the registration of titles so established,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Fox moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill.

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 354 (file No. 199), entitled

A bill to provide for an approval fee for approving articles of incorporation, renewal or amendment to the charters of mutual insurance companies,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	
Crane	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Doran	Hough	Pierce	
Earle	Jewell	Sabin	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Mellen		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Mr. Turnbull, by unanimous consent, moved to discharge the committee on Constitutional amendments from the further consideration of

House joint resolution No. 26, entitled

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of this State, by adding a new section thereto to stand as section 16 of article 18 relative to the employment of male convicts and prisoners now confined and who may hereafter be confined in the prisons and jails of this State in the construction, building and repairing of public roads, highways and bridges in this State,

Which motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 779, entitled

A bill making appropriations for the support of the State Agricultural College, for the erection and repair of buildings and other improvements at said college,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and referred to the committee on Agricultural College.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Agricultural College:

The committee on Agricultural College, to whom was referred

House bill No. 779, entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for the support of the State Agricultural College, for the erection and repair of buildings and other improvements at said college,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JESSE D. CRANE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

The bill was ordered printed, referred to the committee on Finance and appropriations.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred

House bill No. 779, entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for the support of the State Agricultural College, the erection and repair of buildings and other improvements at said college.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By unanimous consent,

The Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 159 (file No. 235), entitled

A bill to create the 34th judicial circuit and to provide for the holding of courts therein.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By adding the following to stand as section 6.

SEC. 6. The stenographers of each of the judicial circuits from which the several counties composing the 34th judicial circuit are hereby detached, shall each continue to act as stenographer of said counties, and their compensation shall be apportioned and paid in the same manner as provided by law at the time of the passage of this act.

In the passage of which as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Clapp,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Hough	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Mellen	Wilkins	24

NAYS.

Mr. Gilbert 1

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 68 (file No. 18), entitled

A bill in relation to the taxable transfer of property.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

1. By striking out of line 6, of section 3, the word "or," and inserting in lieu thereof the words " or persons," after the word " trustees."

2. By striking out of line 9, of section 3, the word " or," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "or persons," after the word " trustees."

3. By striking out of lines 15 and 16 of section 11, the word " superintendent, and inserting in lieu thereof the word " commissioner."

4. By striking out of line 16, of section 14, the words " without fee."

5. By striking out of line 6 of section 15 the words " clerk's office" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "office of the register of deeds."

6. By striking out of line 3 of section 17 the words " an application to him has been made for the issue of."

7. By inserting in line 4 of section 17 after the word " letters " the words " have been issued" and after the word "of," " residence of."

8. By inserting in line 8 after the word "devised" where it occurs the second time the words " when from the records of the court or the testimony given there appears to be property in such estate liable to take under this act."

9. By striking out of line 1 of section 18 the words "county clerk" and inserting in lieu thereof the words " probate judge and register of deeds."

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to provide for the taxation of certain transfers of property by gift, grant, inheritance, devise or bequest.

In the passage of which as thus amended, and with the title so amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford
Champion	Gilbert	Pascoe

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Pierce	
Crane	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French	Mellen		26

NAYS. 0

The question then being concurring in the amendment made by the House to the title of the bill.

The Senate concurred.

The bill was then referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 73, entitled

A bill to authorize and empower and enable the city of Ann Arbor to construct and maintain a system of sewerage and to raise the necessary money therefor,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference,

On motion of Mr. Clark,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe	
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clapp	Hough	Sabin	
Clark	Jewell	Steel	
Crane	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss	
Fox	Mellen	Wilkins	27

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, so that the sixth, eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh subdivisions of section 1 will read as follows:

Sixth, The sixth district shall consist of the counties of Kent, Ottawa and Ionia.

Eighth, The eighth district shall consist of the counties of Ingham, Livingston, Genesee, Shiawassee, Clinton and Gratiot.

Ninth, The ninth district shall consist of the counties of Montcalm, Muskegon, Oceana, Mason, Manistee, Lake, Newaygo and Mecosta.

Tenth, The tenth district shall consist of the counties of Saginaw, Bay, Arenac, Iosco and Alcona.

Eleventh, The eleventh district shall consist of the counties of Alpena, Presque Isle, Montmorenci, Oscoda, Ogemaw, Gladwin, Midland, Isabella, Clare, Roscommon, Crawford, Otsego, Cheboygan, Emmet, Charlevoix, Antrim, Kalkaska, Missaukee, Wexford, Grand Traverse, Benzie, Manitou, Leelanaw and Osceola.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

Mr. Morrow moved that the bill be laid on the table,

Which motion did not prevail.

The Senate then did not concur, a majority of the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Crane	Gibson	Steel	
Fleshiem	Hopkins	Wilkins	
Fox	Jewell		14

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pierce	
Champion	Mears	Sabin	
Clark	Mellen	Turnbull	
Doran	Morrow	Weiss	
Gilbert	Mugford		14

Mr. Hopkins moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Morrow moved to lay the motion on the table,
Which motion did not prevail.
The question then recurring on the motion of Mr. Hopkins to reconsider,
The motion prevailed.
On motion of Mr. Hopkins,
The bill was laid on the table.
Mr. Pierce, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That extra pay during the session be allowed in addition to the regular compensation of the following named officers, viz.: E. V. Chilson, assistant secretary; and James G. Clark, bill clerk, two dollars per day each; George H. Bussey, Sergeant-at-arms, two dollars per day,
Which resolution was adopted.
The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:
Senate bill No. 316 (file No. 205), entitled
A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 159, session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland waters of this State," approved June 24, 1891.
And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:
By inserting in line 4 of section 1 after the words "night lines," the following: "Said set lines or night line, within the meaning of this act, shall be deemed to be a continuous line anchored at either end to which shorter lines with hooks are attached," and by striking out all of lines 6 and 7 of section 1.
In the passage of which as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,
On motion of Mr. Fox,
The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.
A quorum present.
The Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to Senate bill No. 316 (file No. 205), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 159, session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland waters of this State," approved June 24, 1891.

The Senate non-concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Pascoe	Mr. Weiss	
Hopkins	Steel	Wilkins	
Jewell			7

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Crane	Mr. Gibson	
Champion	Doran	Gilbert	
Clapp	French	Pierce	
Clark	Garvelink	Sabin	12

Mr. Mears moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to concur in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments,

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 275 (file No. 168), entitled

A bill to provide for incorporating the record of proceedings had on motions for new trial in bills of exceptions.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 73, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 28 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 7, 1887, as amended, relative to the appointment of assistant prosecuting attorneys for Wayne county, being compiler's section 561 of 3 Howell's annotated statutes.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 188 (file No. 250), entitled

A bill to amend section 55 of act No. 205 of the public acts of this State for the year A. D., 1887, entitled "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," approved June 21, 1887.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 27, entitled

A bill to amend section 261 Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the appointment of a private secretary and executive clerk to the Governor.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take effect July 1, 1893.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 180 (file No. 134), entitled

A bill to provide a board of jury commissioners for the county of St. Clair and the manner of selecting jurors to serve in the circuit court for said county and to prescribe their duties and fix their compensation, and to punish violations of the act.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 101 (file No. 36), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of 1881, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 2 of said act.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

By inserting in line 5 of enacting section 1 after the words "eighty-one," the words "and as amended by act No. 77 of the public acts of 1893."

And further to inform the Senate that the House has amended the title of the same, as follows:

By adding to the end thereof the words, "and as amended by act No. 77 of the public acts of 1893."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pascoe
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce
Burt	Hopkins	Sabin
Clapp	McGinley	Steel

Mr. Doran	Mr. Mellen	Mr. Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Morrow	Wilkins	
Fox			19

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House (the Senate concurring), That the action heretofore taken by both Houses, to the effect that from and after May 25, 1893, the two Houses of the Legislature will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the approval of the Governor and the entry of the same on the Journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House, and the time of final adjournment of the Legislature shall be the 29th day of May, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, be rescinded, and the following is hereby adopted:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That from and after May 26, 1893, the two Houses of the Legislature will transact no other business than for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to sign enrolled bills for the Governor and the entry of the same on the Journal by the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House, and the time of final adjournment of the Legislature shall be the 29th day of May, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon of that day.

Which has been adopted by the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate relative to the following bill:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for, establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

Concerning which a difference exists between the two houses, as appears by prior messages.

That the House has appointed Messrs. Bishop, Gordon and Kline as such committee on the part of the House, and that said bill has been referred to such committee.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 200, entitled

A bill to incorporate the union of the French Canadian Society of the United States.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference,

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	French	Morrow
Burt	Gibson	Mugford
Champion	Gilbert	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce
Clark	Jewell	Turnbull
Doran	McGinley	Wilkins
Fleshiem		22

NAYS.

Mr. Crane	Mr. Sabin	2

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION authorizing the Governor to investigate the construction of a road on Bois Blanc island and to take proper steps to revest in the State of Michigan lands patented for the construction of said road.

WHEREAS, The Board of Control of State swamp lands, by resolution passed February 10, 1891, appropriated all the swamp lands on Bois Blanc Island for the construction of a road across said island; and

WHEREAS, It is alleged by residents on said island and others that said road was not made and constructed in accordance with the terms of the contract therefor, or with the laws governing the construction of State roads, and is little better than a cow path for the greater part of the distance covered by the survey thereof; and

WHEREAS, It appears that the said road was accepted without a proper examination and report, and the lands patented, under the direction of the board of control of State Swamp lands, to George W. Webber, contractor, and Richard Vosper, local commissioner, of said road; and

WHEREAS, A gross fraud has been perpetrated on the people of the State of Michigan, if these lands have been patented to the said contractor and local commissioner, in payment for the construction of a road which is alleged not to have been costruced; therefore

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be and he is hereby authorized to fully investigate the construction of said Bois Blanc Island road, and if it shall appear to his satisfaction that said road was not made and constructed in compliance with the terms of the contract therefor, and that patents for the lands on said island were obtained through misrepresentation and fraud, he shall take a proper course, at law or otherwise, to revest the title to said lands in the State of Michigan.

Which has been adopted by the House and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 85 (file No. 50), entitled

A bill to authorize the State board of agriculture to hold institutes and to establish courses of reading and lectures for the instruction of citizens of this State in the various branches of agriculture, and making an appropriation therefor.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same as follows:

By adding to section 1 the following proviso:

Provided, That a portion of the lands appropriated for the year 1894 shall be available for use until June 30, in the year 1895.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,

LEWIS M. MILLER,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	French	Pascoe	
Burt	Hopkins	Pierce	
Champion	Jewell	Sabin	
Clapp	McGinley	Turnbull	
Clark	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Doran	Mellen	Wilkins	21

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 24, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 302 (file No. 131), being

An act to amend section 1, of act No. 109, of the laws of Michigan for 1857, entitled "An act to provide for feeing an attorney when appointed by the court," approved February 14, 1857, being compiler's section 9046, of 2 Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 89, being

An act making it unlawful to take fish from the waters of Diamond lake in Cass county, during the months of December, January, February, or March, and to fix penalty therefor.

Senate bill No. 9 (file No. 121), being

An act to authorize any railroad company now organized or that may hereafter be organized under the laws of this State to sell, lease and convey its property and franchises to any other railroad company, whether organized within or without this State, and to provide for securing payment therefor.

Senate bill No. 202, being

An act to allow the use of the Myers' automatic ballot machine or any other ballot machine of similar construction and principle, in all township, village or city elections held in this State.

Senate bill No. 104 (file No. 38), being

An act making it unlawful for foreign insurance companies, legally

admitted to do business in the State of Michigan, to place or cause to be placed, except through a duly licensed agent in this State, insurance on property in the State of Michigan, in offices outside of the State of Michigan.

Senate joint resolution No. 2 (file No. 4), being

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 1 of article 7 of the constitution of this State relative to the qualifications of electors.

Very respectfully,

JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations to whom was referred Senate bill No. 332, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the general expenses of the State government, salaries of State officers, the expenses of the State departments, and the expenses of the Legislature for the years 1893 and 1894 and to provide a tax for such purpose.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations to whom was referred House bill No. 255 (file No. 185), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a dairy and food commissioner and to define his powers and duties and fix his compensation,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred House bill No. 650, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for improvements and repairs to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison at Marquette, for the years 1893 and 1894.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

EDWIN G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 137 (file No. 64), entitled

A bill to provide for the government, management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 155, entitled

A bill to amend section 27 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the laws of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, as amended by act No. 166 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 6, 1883, further amended by act No. 231 of the public acts of 1889, approved July 1, 1889, being compiler's section No. 1322, volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State.

Senate bill No 203 (file No. 228), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 25 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 9, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for three additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit," so as to provide one other additional circuit judge for the third judicial circuit.

Senate bill No. 262 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to provide for the control and management of the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 451 (file No. 120), entitled

A bill to provide for a board of trustees for the management and control of the Michigan Reform School, and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

Senate bill No. 26 (file 209), entitled

A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the upper peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith.

Senate bill No. 341, entitled

A bill to require the judge of the 16th judicial circuit to hold terms of court of the 31st judicial circuit in certain cases, and also to require the judge of the 31st judicial circuit to hold the terms of the 16th judicial circuit when the resident judge may be disqualified from acting on the

trial, or whenever the expedition of the business of either of said circuits may necessitate additional assistance.

Senate bill No. 54 (file No. 25), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, of act No. 154, public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to amend section 10, of chapter 342, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended by act No. 172, of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Reform School.

Senate bill No. 237 (file No. 211), entitled

A bill to authorize the courts, justices of the peace and police justices of this State to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication to give a special recognizance conditioned for such persons taking the cure for such drunkenness and intoxication, and for the adjournment of such case against such person for a limited time for this purpose, and to provide means for carrying out the same.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 143 (file No. 221), entitled

A bill to amend section 1755 of chapter 58 of the compiled laws of 1857, as amended by act 32 of the public acts of 1871, as amended by act 80 of the public acts of 1881, the same being section 4588, of chapter 165, of Howell's annotated statutes, and being an act for the incorporation of charitable societies,

Senate bill No. 342 (file No. 148), entitled

A bill to provide for the annexing of the township of White Rock, in the county of Huron, to the township of Sherman in said county.

Senate bill No. 14 (file No. 2), entitled

A bill to revive and re-enact section 114, and sections 115 and 116, as amended by act number 1 of the public acts of 1889, approved January 11, 1889, the same being sections 83, 84 and 85 of chapter 6 of the compiled laws of 1871 and consecutive sections 240, 241 and 242 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to electors of president and vice president of the United States.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

The committee of conference appointed by the two houses upon the differences upon

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of the assessment thereof for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

Respectfully report that they have had said matters of difference under consideration and recommend:

1. That all of the House amendments be concurred in except that striking out section 20.

2. That both houses shall agree to the following substitute, to stand as section 20:

SEC. 20. The supervisor or assessor shall not accept any of the statements herein above required as final or sufficient when such statement is not properly subscribed and sworn to, but shall preserve the same as in other cases, and such statement may be used in making the assessment, and as evidence in any proceeding which may arise respecting the making of the assessment of the party furnishing such statement.

3. That the Senate agree to the title of the bill as amended by the House.

We respectfully recommend the concurrence of the two Houses in all matters as stated in this report, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

S. W. HOPKINS,
W. R. BURT,
GEO. A. STEEL,
Senate committee.
WM. D. GORDON,
R. P. BISHOP,
CHAS. H. KLINE,
House Committee.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Champion,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, whereupon,

The President called Mr. Barnard to the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 779, entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for the support of the State Agricultural College, for the erection and repair of buildings and other improvements at said college.

House bill No. 637 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill appropriating money for building repairs and other necessary improvements at the State Prison at Jackson.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 779, entitled

A bill to make an appropriation for the support of the State Agricultural College, for the erection and repair of buildings and other improvements at said college,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford	
Burt	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clapp	Hough	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins	
Fox			28

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Morrow	2

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Crane,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 650 (file No. 365), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for improvements and repairs to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison at Marquette for the years 1893 and 1894.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Fox	Mellen	
Burt	French	Pascoe	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Jewell	Weiss	
Earle	McGinley	Wilkins	24

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Morrow	2

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 637 (file No. 367), entitled

A bill appropriating money for building repairs and other necessary improvements at the State Prison at Jackson.

Pending third reading of which,

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 429 (file No. 258), entitled

A bill to provide for an appropriation for the preparation, publication and distribution of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the Michigan superintendents of the poor for the years 1893 and 1894.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	French	Morrow	
Burt	Gibson	Mugford	
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Hough	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Doran	McGinley	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fleshiem	Mears		29

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 579 (file 307), entitled

A bill to amend sections 8, 10 and 11, of chapter 2; section 31, of chapter 6; section 40, of chapter 7; sections 58, 60 and 61, of chapter 9; sections 93, 95 and 106 of chapter 13, of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 874, 875, 877, 878, 898, 907, 925, 927, 928, 960, 962 and 973 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to repeal sections 12, 13, 14 and 15 of chapter two, and section 29 of chapter five of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 873, 879, 880, 881, 882 and 896 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows.

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Gilbert	Mugford	
Burt	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Crane	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French	Mellen		26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 257 (file No. 172), entitled

A bill to prohibit the opening of barber shops on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, for the purpose of carrying on or engaging in the art or calling of hair cutting, shaving, hair dressing and shampooing, or in any work pertaining to the trade or business of a barber, on the said first day of the week, commonly called Sunday.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Turnbull moved that there be a call of the Senate.

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary and no Senators reported absent without leave.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Hough	Mr. Pascoe	
Champion	McGinley	Sabin	
Doran	McLaughlin	Steel	
Earle	Mears	Turnbull	
Gibson	Morrow	Weiss	
Gilbert	Mugford	Wilkins	18

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Pierce	3

Title agreed to.

In announcing his vote on the above named bill Senator Pierce sent up the following, which was ordered spread on the Journal:

"Believing that the so-called 'barber Sunday closing bill" would be unconstitutional if enacted into a law, I vote no."

Mr. Gibson moved that the bill be ordered to take effect May 30, 1893.

On which motion Mr. Clapp demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to [illegible] did not prevail, two-thirds of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, [illegible] yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Pierce	
Earle	McLaughlin	Sabin	
French	Mears	Steel	
Gibson	Morrow	Turnbull	
Gilbert	Mugford	Weiss	
Hough	Pascoe	Wilkins	
Jewell			19

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Mellen	2

Mr. Pierce, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 277), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

Mr. Fox moved that the bill be laid on the table.

Which motion did not prevail.

The question then being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

The Senate non-concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Gibson	Steel	
Crane	Hough		8

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Earle	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Mears	Weiss	
Fox	Morrow	Wilkins	18

The President announced as a committee of conference on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Pierce, Steel and Hough.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 93 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to protect toilers against unjust demands of employers of labor; to give redress to employés discharged in certain cases, and to punish employers, their agents, clerks and servants for any violation of this act,

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 105 (file No. 39), entitled

A bill to amend section fifty-one of chapter seven, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith, being act number three hundred and twenty-six of the session laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-three, approved June seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-three as amended.

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute therefore, entitled:

A bill to amend section 51 of chapter 7 of sections 7 and 8 of chapter 11

and to add six new sections to chapter 11 to stand as sections 45, 46, 48, 49 and 50 of "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the substitute adopted by the House to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to re-return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

Concerning which a difference existed between the two houses, which difference was referred to a committee of conference, and now to inform the Senate that the said committee of conference has reported as follows:

The committee of conference on the differences between the two houses on

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

Respectfully report that they have the matters of difference between the two Houses under consideration and recommend as follows:

First, That all of House amendments be concurred in except that striking out section 20;

Second, That both Houses shall agree to the following substitute for section 20:

SEC. 20. The supervisor or assessor shall not accept any of the statements herein above required as final or sufficient when such statement is not properly subscribed and sworn to, but shall preserve the same as in other cases, and such statement may be used in making the assessment, and as evidence in any proceeding which may arise respecting the making of the assessment of the party furnishing such statement.

Third, That the Senate agree to the title of the bill as amended by the House.

We respectfully recommend the concurrence of the two Houses in all matters stated in the report and ask to be discharged from the further consideration or the subject.

S. W. HOPKINS,
W. R. BURT,
GEO. A. STEEL,
Committee of Senate.
WM. D. GORDON,
R. P. BISHOP,
CHAS. H KLINE,
Committee of House.

Which report the House has this day adopted by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the committee of conferrence on the matters of difference existing between the two houses regarding the above named bill,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Champion	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	21

NAYS

Mr. Clark	Mr. Hough	Mr. Mellen	3

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 234 (file No. 224), entitled

A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments of this State, to provide for the inspection and regulation of such manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the enforcement of such regulation and inspection.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

Strike out section 6 and insert the following:

SEC. 6. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, the

Commissioner of Labor is hereby authorized and required to cause at least an annual inspection of the manufacturing establishments or factories in this State. Such inspection may be by the Commissioner of Labor, the Deputy Commissioner of Labor, for the purpose of making such inspection. Such person shall be under the control and direction of the Commissioner of Labor and are especially charged with the duties imposed, and shall receive such compensation as shall be fixed by the Commissioner of Labor, not to exceed three dollars per day, together with all necessary expenses. All compensation for services and expenses provided for in this act shall be audited and paid in the same manner as the salaries and expenses of other State officers: *Provided*, That not more than four thousand dollars shall be extended in such inspection in any one year: *And provided further* That the Commissioner of Labor shall present to the Governor, on or before the first day of February, 1894, and annually thereafter, a report of such inspection, with such recommendations as may seem necessary: *And provided further*, That in addition to the above allowance for expenses there may be printed not to exceed two thousand copies of such reports for the use of the Labor Bureau, for general distribution, and all printing, binding, blanks, stationery or map work shall be done under any contract which the State now has or shall have for similar work with any party or parties, and the expense thereof shall be audited and paid for in the same manner as other State printing.

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Gilbert	Mugford
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce
Clark	Hough	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Steel
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss
French	Mears	Wilkins
Garvelink		25

NAYS.

Mr. Burt Mr. Mellen 2

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

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Senate bill No. 420 (file No. 247), entitled

A bill to regulate the length of time which shall be a day's labor by certain employés on railroads in this State, and to provide for *pro rata* compensation for extra services in addition to their daily compensation.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

1. By striking out of line 1 of section 3 the word "that" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "performed in any one day by."

2. By inserting in line 6 of section 3, after the word "work," the words "shall be deemed one-tenth of a day's labor, and such conductor, engineer, fireman, brakeman or trainman."

In the passage of which, as thus amended the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Garvelink	Pascoe
Champion	Gibson	Pierce
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin
Clark	Hough	Steel
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull
Doran	McGinley	Weiss
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins
Fox	Mears	26

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Mellen	2

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit to the Senate the following joint resolution:

House joint resolution No. 12 (file No 11), entitled

A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate, examine and settle any claim found to be due Thomas E. Mayes of the city of Ironwood, Gogebic county, State of Michigan, against the State of Michigan for constructing a State road from Bessemer, Gogebic county, to the mouth of Black river in said county,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The joint resolution was read a first and second time by its title, and pending its reference,

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the joint resolution was placed on its immediate passage.

The joint resolution was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Fleshiem,

The further consideration of the joint resolution was made the special order for this evening at 8 o'clock.

The President also announced the following;

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 319 (file No. 225), entitled

A bill to revise and amend act No. 134 of the session laws of 1859, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Niles," approved February 12, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference to a committee,

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Hough	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Doran	McGinley	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox	Mears		26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 246, entitled

A bill to secure to women citizens who are otherwise qualified the right to vote in school, village and city elections.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Pierce asked leave to present the following amendment to the bill:

By striking out of lines 2, 3 and 4 of section 1 the words "who are able to read the constitution of the State of Michigan printed in the English language."

The question then being on receiving the amendment, the yeas and nays were demanded and the request was not granted, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Earle	Mr. Mugford	
Clapp	Fleshiem	Pascoe	
Clark	Hough	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Weiss	
Doran	Morrow		14

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mears	
Champion	Gilbert	Mellen	
Fox	Hopkins	Sabin	
French	McGinley	Turnbull	
Garvelink	McLaughlin	Wilkins	15

Mr Pierce then asked leave to offer the following amendment to the bill:

By striking out lines 7, 8, 9 and 10 of section 1,

Which request was not granted.

Mr. Morrow asked leave to offer the following amendment to the bill:

By adding a new section thereto to stand as section 4 and to read as follows:

SEC. 4. Any member of a board of registration permitting or consenting to the registration in his district of any woman and neglecting or refusing to require the applicant to read a section of the constitution as required by this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished accordingly.

The question being on receiving the amendment, the Senate refused so to do, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. Morrow	
Clapp	Fleseim	Pascoe	
Clark	Jewell	Pierce	
Crane	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Doran			13

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Gilbert	Sabin	
Champion	Hopkins	Steel	
Fox	McGinley	Turnbull	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink			16

Mr. Barnard asked leave to offer the following amendment to the bill:

By striking out of line 9 of section 1 the words "in the English language," and in line 4 of section 1 the words "printed in the English language."

The question being on receiving the amendment, and the yeas and nays being demanded thereon,

Mr. Mears moved the previous question,

Which was seconded.

The question then being "Shall the main question now be put?"

The same was not ordered.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The Senate took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

AFTER RECESS.

8 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

The Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 246, entitled

A bill to secure to women citizens who are otherwise qualified, the right to vote in school, village and city elections.

The question being on receiving the amendment offered by Mr. Barnard,

Mr. Hopkins moved the previous question,

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being "Shall the main question now be put?"

Mr. Morrow demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The previous question was then not ordered, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Gilbert	Sabin	
Champion	Hopkins	Steel	
French	Hough	Turnbull	
Garvelink	Mears	Wilkins	15

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Morrow	
Clapp	Fox	Mugford	
Clark	Jewell	Pascoe	
Crane	McGinley	Pierce	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	15

The question then recurring on the motion made by Mr. Barnard to amend the bill,

Mr. Hopkins demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The amendment then was not received, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Mugford	
Clapp	Hough	Pascoe	
Clark	Jewell	Pierce	
Crane	Morrow	Weiss	
Doran			13

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mellen	
Champion	Hopkins	Sabin	
Fox	McGinley	Steel	
French	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Garvelink	Mears	Wilkins	
Gibson			16

The question then being on the passage of the bill,

Mr. Hopkins moved the previous question,

Which motion was not seconded.

Mr. Pierce moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Steel moved the previous question,

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being "Shall the main question now be put?"

Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The previous question was then ordered,

A majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Sabin	
Champion	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	McGinley	Turnbull	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Gibson	Mellen		17

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Mugford	
Clapp	Jewell	Pascoe	
Clark	Morrow	Pierce	
Doran			10

The question then being on the motion of Mr. Pierce to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill,

Mr. Hopkins demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion to indefinitely postpone then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Pascoe	
Clark	Jewell	Pierce	
Crane	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Doran	Morrow		11

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clapp	Hough	Steel	
Fox	McGinley	Turbull	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink			19

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Burt	Gibson	Mugford	
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel	
Fox	McGinley	Turnbull	
French	Mears	Wilkins	18

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. Pascoe	
Clark	Fleshiem	Pierce	
Crane	Jewell	Weiss	
Doran	Morrow		11

Title aggreed to.

In announcing his vote on the above named bill,

Mr. McGinley asked, and was granted leave to have the following explanation spread on the journal:

"While I would like the words 'English language' stricken out of the bill, it is better than no bill and I therefore vote for it in its present condition."

Mr. Barnard asked and was granted leave to have the following explanation of his vote spread on the Journal:

"Believing, as I do, that this bill discriminates against a large class of women as well entitled to the right of suffrage as those who come within its provisions, I vote no."

The President announced that the time had arrived for the

SPECIAL ORDER.

Being the further consideration of

House joint resolution No. 12 (file No. 11), entitled

Joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate, examine and settle any claim found to be due Thomas E. Mays of the city of Ironwood, Gogebic county, State of Michigan, against the State of

Michigan for constructing a State road from Bessemer, Gogebic county, to the mouth of Black river in said county.

The question being on the passage of the joint resolution,

The joint resolution was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	French	Morrow	
Burt	Garvelink	Mugford	
Champion	Gibson	Pascoe	
Clark	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane	Hough	Sabin	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins	27

NAYS. 0

Titled agreed to.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 620 (file No. 190), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, section 2, section 3 and section 4 of act 174 of the public acts of 1885, relating to suits against foreign coöperative and mutual benefit associations,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	French	Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Jewell	Weiss	
Fleshiem	Mears	Wilkins	24

NAYS.

Mr. McGinley 1

Title agreed to.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 891 (file No. 352), entitled

A bill to provide a probate register for Macomb county and to fix his compensation,

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members

elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference

On motion of Mr. Mellen,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	French	Mears	
Burt	Garvelink	Mellen	
Champion	Gibson	Mugford	
Clapp	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Jewell	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Wilkins	27

NAYS.

Mr. Steel 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Mellen,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Weiss, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That Thomas F. Farrell, clerk of the committee on Cities and village, be allowed the extra compensation of $2 per day during the present session of the Legislature for extra work done by him.

Mr. Steel moved that the resolution be laid upon the table and demanded the yeas and nay thereon.

The motion to lay the resolution on the table then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel	
Fox	Jewell		11

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. McLaughlin	Mr. Pierce	
Doran	Mellen	Turnbull	
French	Morrow	Weiss	
Hough	Mugford	Wilkins	
McGinley			13

The question then recurring on the motion of Mr. Weiss,

Mr. Mears moved to amend the resolution by inserting after the word "villages" the words "and all Committee Clerks, Sergeants and Janitors."

Pending which,

Mr. Barnard offered the following substitute:

Resolved, That the clerks of the Judiciary committee and committee on Cities and villages be paid one dollar per day extra compensation.

Mr. Fox moved that the substitute be laid on the table and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Clapp	Gibson	Pierce	
Crane	Gilbert	Sabin	
Earle	Hopkins	Steel	
Fleshiem	Jewell	Wilkins	
Fox			16

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Turnbull	
Doran	Morrow	Weiss	
Hough	Mugford		8

And the resolution and substitute was laid on the table.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 413 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 225 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuits courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton, now comprising the fifth judicial circuit," the same being section 6522d1 of the third volume of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan,

Was read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Doran	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	French	Turnbull	
Burt	Gibson	Weiss	
Crane	McLaughlin	Wilkins	12

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Jewell	
Clark	Gilbert	Sabin	
Earle			7

Mr. Doran moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill,

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Wilkins by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table House bill No. 191 (file No. 319), entitled

A bill to prohibit the adulteration of maple sugar, maple molasses and maple syrup,

Which motion prevailed,

The bill was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Burt	Gibson	Sabin	
Clapp	Gilbert	Steel	
Crane	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Jewell	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Earle 1

Title agreed to.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 454 (file No. 376), entitled

A bill to authorize the cities and villages of this State which own and operate electric light works for the purpose of lighting their streets and other public places, to furnish and supply electric light to the inhabitants of such cities and villages,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Burt	Garvelink	Morrow	
Clapp	Gibson	Pierce	
Clark	Gilbert	Sabin	
Doran	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Fleshiem	Hough	Weiss	
Fox	Jewell	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. McLaughlin 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Garvelink, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the Governor of the State, upon recommendation of the military board, may establish the camp of instruction for the Michigan State troops, for the year 1893, for a period not exceeding ten days, in the vicinity of Chicago, Ill.: *Provided, however*, That said encampment shall not require the expenditure of a

larger amount of the State military funds than an encampment for the same period of time would require within the State

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Elections:

The committee on Elections, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 56 (file No. 135), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 3, 7, 14, 16, 17, 23, 26, 32, 36, 43 and 44 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and (deception) deceptions at elections in this State,"

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHAS. S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Hopkins	Pierce	
Burt	Hough	Sabin	
Clark	Jewell	Turnbull	
Doran	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	
French			19

NAYS. 0

The question being on agreeing to the title,

Mr. Clark moved to amend the title so as to read as follows:

A bill to amend sections 1, 14, 16, 17, 23, 26, 32 and 43 of act number 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and (deception) deceptions at elections in this State,"

Which motion prevailed.

The title as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. Fox moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Lansing, Friday, May 26, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: quorum present.

Absent without leave: Messrs. Fleshiem, Mellen and Pascoe.

Mr. Sabin, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 332, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the general expenses of the State government, salaries of State officers, the expenses of the State departments, and the expenses of the Legislature for the years 1893 and 1894, and to provide a tax for such purpose,

Which motion prevailed.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Fox moved to amend the bill by striking out in section 1 the words "nine hundred thousand dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "nine hundred and fifty-three thousand dollars."

Also, by striking out of the same section the words "eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "nine hundred and three three thousand dollars,"

Which motion prevailed and the bill was so amended.

The bill as amended was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. McGinley	
Brundage	French	McLaughlin	
Burt	Garvelink	Morrow	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Hopkins	Weiss	
Earle	Jewell	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred House bill No. 819, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purpose of marking the position of Daniels' Michigan battery and the four companies of Michigan troops in the United States sharpshooters on the "high-water mark" monument on the battlefield of Gettysburg,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration,

and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Senate joint resolution No. 23, entitled

Joint resolution directing the Board of State Auditors to settle the claim of Mrs. Mary A. Roop of the township of Pine River, Gratiot county, Michigan, and to take such action therein as they may deem best,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

Joint resolution directing the Board of State Auditors to examine and settle the claim of the Jackson Stone Company for money paid into the State treasury under a mistake of fact.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Horticulture:

The committee on Horticulture, to whom was referred House bill No. 339 (file No. 344), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of seats in theaters, concert or lecture halls, and other places of public entertainment," approved February 14, 1877,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject. Mr. Mugford dissenting.

AUGUSTUS JEWELL, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Constitutional amendments:

The committee on Constitutional amendments report that House joint resolution No. 6 (file No. 5), entitled

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of this State by adding a new section thereto, to stand as section 16 of article 18, relative to the employment of male convicts and prisoners now confined in and who may hereafter be confined in the prisons and jails of this State, in the construction, building and repairing of public roads, highways and bridges in this State,

Has not been referred to said committee and therefore said committee can not comply with the resolution of the Senate.

F. W. CLAPP, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

Mr. Fox offered the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives be, and they are hereby directed to compile and prepare for publication, make indexes and superintend the publication of the journals and documents of the present Legislature, and when completed and certified to by the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Senate shall be entitled to and receive the sum of five hundred dollars, and the Clerk of the House of Representatives shall be entitled to and receive the sum of six hundred dollars for such services, the same to be paid on the certificate of the Secretary of State.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, with the President in the chair.

After some time spent therein, the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 819 (file No. 380), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purpose of marking the position of Daniel's Michigan Battery and the four companies of Michigan troops in the United States Sharpshooters on the "Highwater Mark" monument on the battlefield of Gettysburg.

House bill No. 339 (file No. 344), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of seats in theatres, concert or lecture halls and other places of public entertainment," approved February 14, 1879, the same being compiler's sections 2089 and 2090 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate joint resolution No. 23, entitled

Joint resolution directing the Board of State Auditors to examine and settle the claim of the Jackson Stone Company for money paid into the State treasury under a mistake of fact.

House bill No. 255 (file No. 185), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a dairy and food commissioner, and to define his powers and duties and fix his compensation,

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate, and recommend their passage.

J. WIGHT GIDDINGS,

President of the Senate and Chairman of the Committee.

Report accepted.

The above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 819 (file No. 380), entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the purpose of marking the position

of Daniel's Michigan Battery and the four companies of Michigan troops in the United States sharpshooters on the "Highwater Mark" monument on the battlefield of Gettysburg,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	French	Morrow	
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Clark	Gilbert	Turnbull	
Crane	Hopkins	Weiss	
Doran	Jewell	Wilkins	
Earle			22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Senate joint resolution No. 23, entitled

Joint resolution directing the Board of State Auditors to examine and settle the claims of the Jackson Stone Company for money paid into the State treasury under a mistake of fact,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Burt	Garvelink	Morrow	
Champion	Gibson	Mugford	
Clark	Gilbert	Pierce	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Doran	Hough	Weiss	
Earle	Jewell	Wilkins	
Fox	McGinley		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 458 (file No. 96), entitled

A bill to provide for the final determination of any controversy or contest concerning the appointment of all or any of the presidential electors of this State,

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Weiss moved that there be a call of the Senate,

Which motion prevailed.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE CALL.

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the following Senators reported absent without leave: Messrs. Fleshiem, McLaughlin and Mellen.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Sergeant-at-Arms was dispatched after the absentees.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced Mr. McLaughlin at the bar of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

Mr. McLaughlin was admitted within the bar, excused and took his seat.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report, as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate joint resolution No. 21, entitled

A joint resolution for the relief of Albert B. Judd.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, It appearing to the satisfaction of the Senate that a large number of corporations required by the laws of the State to file annual reports in offices of the Secretary of State and Auditor General, or one of such offices, have not complied with such provisions of the laws of this State; and

WHEREAS, It further appearing to the satisfaction of the Senate that the charters of a large number of the corporations organized under the laws of the State have expired by limitation; and

WHEREAS, It further appearing to the satisfaction of the Senate that a considerable number of corporatious required to pay specific taxes in this State, are delinquent in the payment thereof; therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Attorney General be requested to proceed against such corporations, or persons exercising corporate privileges and franchises, by such proceeding in the courts of this State as shall be suitable in the premises and as he shall deem necessary to protect the interests of the State of Michigan.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment to whom was referred Senate joint resolution No. 15, entitled

A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate, examine, settle and pay any claim found to be due the Presque Isle Lumber Company of Hammond's bay, Presque Isle county, Michigan, against the State of Michigan for damages or compensation arising from the seizure by the trespass agents of the State of Michigan, of a certain lot of cedar cut by it on portions of the northeast quarter of section 35 north, of range 2 east, claimed by the said trespass agents to have been a trespass upon the State lands.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 243 (file No. 254), entitled

A bill to provide for the enrollment, equipment, maintenance and discipline of the naval militia of the State.

Senate bill No. 262 (file No. 215), entitled

A bill to provide for the control and management of the Industrial

Home for Girls at Adrian, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 180 (file No. 134), entitled

A bill to provide a board of jury commissioners for the county of St. Clair and the manner of selecting jurors to serve in the circuit court for said county and to prescribe their duties and fix their compensation, and to punish violations of the act.

Senate bill No. 27, entitled

A bill to amend section 261 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the appointment of a private secretary and executive clerk to the Governor.

Senate bill No. 275 (file No. 168), entitled

A bill to provide for incorporating the record of proceedings had on motions for new trial in bills of exceptions.

Senate bill No. 188 (file No. 250), entitled

A bill to amend section 55 of act No. 205 of the public acts of this State for the year A. D. 1887, entitled "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," approved June 21, 1887.

Senate bill No. 159 (file No. 235), entitled

A bill to create the 34th judicial circuit and provide for the holding of courts therein.

Senate bill No. 93 (file No. 57), entitled

A bill to protect toilers against unjust demands of employers of labor; to give redress to employés discharged in certain cases, and to punish employers, their agents, clerks and servants for any violation of this act.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Cities and villages:

The committee on Cities and villages, to whom was referred,

Senate bill No. 174 (file No. 75), entitled

A bill to amend sections numbered 7 and 15 of an act entitled "An act supplemental to the charter of the city of Detroit and relating to parks, boulevards and other public grounds in said city, and to repeal act number 374 of the local acts of 1879, entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a broad street or boulevard about the limits of the city of Detroit and through portions of the townships of Hamtramck, Greenfield, and Springwells, in the county of Wayne,'" approved May 21, 1879, approved May 8, 1889, and to add a new section to said act, approved May 8, 1889, to stand as section number 31.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act supplemental to the charter of the city of Detroit and relating to parks, boulevards and other public grounds in said city, and to repeal act number 374 of the local acts of 1879, entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a broad street or boulevard about the limits of the city of Detroit and through portions of the townships of Hamtramck, Greenfield and Spring-

wells, in the county of Wayne,'" approved May 21, 1879, approved May 8, 1889, by adding a new section to said act, approved May 8, 1889, to stand as section number 31.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JOSEPH M. WEISS, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The question being on agreeing to the substitute adopted by the committee for the bill.

Mr. Doron demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The substitute was then agreed to, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Doran	Hopkins	Sabin	
Earle	Jewell	Steel	
Fox	McGinley	Weiss	
French	McLaughlin	Wilkins	18

NAYS.

Mr. Champion 1

Pending the reference of the bill to a committee,

Mr. Weiss moved that the rules be suspended and the bill be put upon its immediate passage.

On which motion, Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Weiss then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. McLaughlin	
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce	
Champion	Gibson	Steel	
Clapp	Hopkins	Weiss	
Earle	Jewell	Wilkins	
Fox	McGinley		17

NAYS.

Mr. Doran Mr. Turnbull 2

The bill was then read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French	Mears		
Garvelink	Pierce		16

NAYS.

Mr. Clark 1

Mr. Weiss moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Weiss moved to take from the table the above named bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French			19

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	3

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 458 (file No. 96), entitled

A bill to provide for the final determination of any controversy or contest concerning the appointment of all or any of the presidential electors of this State.

The bill having been read a third time and the question being upon its passage, pending the taking of the vote thereon,

Mr. Turnbull moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion of Mr. Turnbull then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Hough	Turnbull	9

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	17

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French			19

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Doran	Mr. Morrow	
Champion	Gilbert	Mugford	
Clark	Hough	Turnbull	9

Title agreed to.

Mr. Earle, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved (the House concurring), That an extra edition of thirty-five hundred copies of the Legislative manual be printed for the use of the Legislature.

Which resolution was adopted.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Substitute for Senate bills Nos. 151 and 170 (file No. 232), entitled

A bill to determine, extend and fix the liability of railroad corporations and companies, for personal injuries to employés.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Clapp moved to amend the bill by striking out of lines 4 and 5 of section 1 the words "or by reason of any defect in the ways, works, plant, locomotive, engine, tools or machinery connected with, or in use in the business of such corporation or company."

By striking out section 2.

Pending which,

By unanimous consent, Senators Pierce, Steel and Hough, members of the conference committee on the congressional apportionment bill, were excused to attend a meeting of the conference committee.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary and the Senators voted thereon as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Clark	Mr. Gibson	
Champion	Doran	Morrow	
Clapp	French		8

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. Gilbert	
Burt	Fox	Sabin	6

The President directed the Secretary to enter upon the Journal a statement of the fact that Senators McLaughlin, Morrow, Mears, Wilkins, Fox and Burt were present and not voting on the above named bill and that

they together with the Senators who voted thereon, constituted a majority of the Senators elect.

Whereupon the President announced that

The bill was not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not having voted therefor.

Mr. Turnbull protested against the action of the President in causing to be entered upon the Journal the names of Senators present who did not vote upon the question of the passage of the above named bill.

In announcing his vote on the above named bill Mr. Clark asked and was granted leave to have the following explanation spread on the Journal:

A bill of this importance to a class of men engaged in an extra hazardous employment never should have been neglected until this time and then come up while the Senators are not in a condition of mind to consider carefully, the Senate in a hubbub packing up to get away. This should have been carefully considered. This subject is an important one. I can not for the life of me conclude as to right in detail, therefore all I can do is on general principle to vote yes. I fear that this bill will, in its present condition, work mischief. Fear it is not constitutional. Fear that in detail the bill should be amended, but it is no use now to try to fix it in this tumult. I vote yes.

Mr. Brundage, by unanimous consent, withdrew his notice of reconsideration of the vote by which the Senate passed

Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of act 146 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1857, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the supreme court, pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution," approved February 16, 1857, as amended, relative to salaries of justices of the supreme court, and requiring them to reside during their terms of office in the city of Lansing, being compiler's section 6393 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

House bill No. 830 (file No. 354), entitled

A bill to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a pardoning board, prescribing the powers and duties and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce
Burt	Gibson	Sabin
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel
Clark	Jewell	Turnbull
Crane	McGinley	Weiss
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins
Fox		

22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Mr. French, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 663, entitled

A bill to detach certain territory from the townships of Albert and Briley, in the county of Montmorency, State of Michigan, and to organize the township of Vienna in said county.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill having been read a third time and the question being upon its passage.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. McGinley
Brundage	Garvelink	McLaughlin
Clapp	Gibson	Mears
Crane	Gilbert	Sabin
Doran	Hopkins	Weiss
Earle	Jewell	Wilkins
Fox		19

NAYS 0

Title agreed to.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No 547, entitled

A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning and deepening Black river in Sanilac county, for sanitary purposes, and providing and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of said State Board of Health.

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Doran moved to amend the bill by inserting in line 2, section 1, after the words "Black river," the words "Grand river" and "Detroit river."

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Brundage moved to amend the bill by inserting after the word "dollar," in section 1, the words "and also $100,000 for work on the north pier of the Muskegon river."

Which motion did not prevail.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The roll of the Senate was called by the Secretary, and the Senators voted thereon, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	Mr. Turnbull
McGinlay		4

NAYS.

Mr Barnard	Mr. Crane	Mr. Jewell
Brundage	Doran	Sabin
Clapp	Garvelink	Weiss
Clark	Hopkins	11

The President directed the Secretary to enter upon the Journal a statement of the fact that Senators Fox, McLaughlin, Morrow, Burt, Wilkins and Mears were present and not voting on the above named bill, and that they, together with the Senators who voted thereon, constituted a majority of the Senators elect.

Whereupon the President announced that the bill was not passed a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor.

Mr. McGinley moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the pasage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. McGinley,

The bill was laid on the table.

House bill No. 655 (file No. 202), entitled

A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of Jackson county and the Jackson county agricultural society, to sell certain lands and to invest the proceeds of such sale in the purchase of other lands, and in the improvements thereof.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Burt	Gibson	Mugford	
Clapp	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Jewell	Weiss	
Earle	McGinley	Wilkins	
Fox	McLaughlin		26

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 529 (file No. 332), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a commission to prepare and report a general municipal corporation bill, under which all municipalties may become incorporated, and to prescribe their duties and provide for their compensation,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Earle	Mears	Wilkins	
Fox			25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Substitute for Senate bill No. 447, entitled

A bill appropriating the sum of five thousand dollars for altering, enlarging and extending the sewer and sewerage system of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole, and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Finance and appropriations:

The committee on Finance and appropriations, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 509, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for improving the sanitary condition of the State capitol.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate with amendments thereto, recommending that the amendments be concurred in, and that the bill when so amended do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

E. G. FOX, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate concurred in the amendments made to the bill by the committee.

The bill was then referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred House bill No. 747 (file No. 378), entitled

A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Saline Plank Road Company," approved March 23, 1848, and to provide for winding up the affairs of said company.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES H. McGINLEY, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Turnbull,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and not passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect not voting therefor by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Gibson	Mugford	
Champion	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Doran	Mears	Wilkins	
French			16

NAYS.

Mr. Jewell	Mr. Sabin	2

By ananimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Judiciary:

The committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

House bill No. 244 (file No. 281), entitled

A bill to amend section two of chapter one, sections 7, 8 and 14 of chapter 3, section 6 of chapter 6, section 1 of chapter 8, and to add a new section to chapter 6, to stand as section 16 of act number 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without recommendation, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

S. W. HOPKINS, *Acting chairman*,.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

The bill was placed on the order of third reading of bills.

Mr. Hough, by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That extra pay during the session be allowed, in addition to the regular compensation, of the following named officer: Mrs. Florence C. Betts, Engrossing and enrolling clerk, two dollars per day.

Pending which,

Mr. Earle moved to amend the resolution by adding thereto the name of Miss Cora Webber.

Pending which,

Mr. Brundage offered the following substitute:

Resolved, That Daniel G. Crotty be allowed one dollar per day extra for faithful services as first Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.

Mr. Fox moved that the substitute be laid on the table and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion of Mr. Fox then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Crane	Gibson	Sabin	
Fox	Hopkins		8

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Mugford	
Clapp	McGinley	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Hough	Morrow	Wilkins	12

The substitute offered by Mr. Brundage was then agreed to, a majority of the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Mugford	
Doran	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Earle	Mears	Weiss	
Gibson	Morrow	Wilkins	
Hough			13

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Fox			7

Mr. Fox moved that the Senate take a recess until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Mears then offered the following substitute:

Resolved, That all the clerks and janitors be allowed extra compensation of $1 per day.

Which substitute was agreed to.

The question then being on the resolution as substituted, the yeas and nays were demanded, and the same was adopted, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Hough	Mugford	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Gilbert	Mears		14

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Garvelink	Sabin	
Crane	Gibson	Steel	
Fox	Jewell	Wilkins	12

Mr. Fox moved to reconsider the last above vote.

Which motion Mr. Doran moved to lay upon the table.

On which motion Mr. Fox demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay on the table then did not prevail, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Hopkins	Mugford	
Burt	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	McGinley	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin		14

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Garvelink	Sabin	
Clark	Gibson	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Wilkins	
Fox	Mears		14

The question then being on the motion to reconsider,
On motion of Mr. Fox,
The Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.
A quorum present.
The senate resumed the consideration of the pending question, being the motion of Mr. Fox to reconsider the vote by which the Senate this morning adopted the resolution as substituted regarding the extra pay of clerks and janitors.
The motion then prevailed, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mears	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Weiss	
Fox	McGinley	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Mugford	Mr. Turnbull	
Gilbert			4

On announcing his vote Mr. Clark asked and was granted leave to have the following explanation spread upon the Journal.
"I am informed that the object of this motion to reconsider is for the purpose of getting into executive session or committee of the whole. The only object there can be in this is to avoid the record on the Journal.
"While I am strenuously opposed to this last act of robbery of the people of Michigan I shall vote against reconsideration for any such purpose to perpetrate the robbery in open day light and put the record on the Journal."
On motion of Mr. Steel,
The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

The time being 2:10 o'clock p. m.
The executive session closed, the time being 2:45 o'clock p. m.
By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 189 (file No. 371), entitled

A bill to provide for the discharge from record of statements claiming liens upon real estate.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Burt	Gibson	Sabin	
Champion	Gilbert	Steel	
Clapp	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Crane	Hough	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox	Morrow		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 213 (file No. 139), entitled

A bill to provide that the division of the league of American wheelmen and the branches thereof, known as clubs of the State of Michigan, may be incorporated.

Pending third reading of which,

Mr. Weiss moved to lay the bill on the table.

Which motion did not prevail.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Burt	Garvelink	Mugford	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Jewell	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox			25

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 440 (file No. 312), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 6 and 9 of act No. 179 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to establish, protect and enforce by lien, the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for building, altering, improving, repairing, erecting or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves, and all other structures," and to repeal all acts contravening the provisions of this act.

Was read a third time, and pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Moran moved to amend the bill by striking out the word "three," inserted by the Senate in line 1 of section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six," as it was in the bill as it passed the House.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The bill, as amended, was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	Gilbert	Pierce
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin
Clark	Hough	Steel
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss
French	Morrow	Wilkins
Garvelink		22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Doran,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following:

WHEREAS, There are now pending divers suits and controversies to which the State of Michigan is a party, and involving the claim of the State to certain lands, and

WHEREAS, It seems desirable that the Attorney General should have additional authority and advice in the conduct and disposition of such suits; therefore

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Govenor, the Attorney General and the Board of State Auditors are hereby given full power and authority to control and manage all such litigation and suits, and also to compromise, discontinue or otherwise dispose of the same upon such terms as in their judgment shall seem best.

Which has been adopted by the House, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, with the President in the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

Senate bill No. 447, entitled

A bill appropriating the sum of $5,000 for altering, enlarging and extending the sewer and sewerage system of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

Senate bill No. 509, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for improving the sanitary condition of the State Capitol.

Have made no amendments thereto, and have directed their chairman to report the same back to the Senate and recommend their passage.

J. WIGHT GIDDINGS,
President of the Senate and Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Report accepted.

The above named bills were placed on the order of third reading of bills.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 146 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State Board of Fish Commissioners, for the year ending June 30, 1894, and the year ending June 30, 1895.

And to inform the Senate that the House has amended the same, as follows:

1. By striking out of lines 1, 2 and 4 of section 1 the words "twenty-eight thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five thousand."

2. By striking out of lines 2 and 4 of section 2 the words "twenty-eight thousand nine hundred" and incerting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five thousand."

In the passage of which, as thus amended, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made by the House to the bill,

On motion of Mr. Gibson,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	French	Pierce	
Champion	Gibson	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel	
Clark	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Earle	Morrow	Wilkins	21

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 447, entitled

A bill appropriating the sum of $5,000 for altering, enlarging and extending the sewer and sewerage system of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Clark	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Earle	Morrow	Wilkins	
Fox			19

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Burt,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Senate bill No. 509, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for improving the sanitary condition of the State Capitol,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce	
Champion	Gibson	Sabin	
Clapp	Gilbert	Turnbull	
Clark	Hopkins	Weiss	
Earle	Morrow	Wilkins	18

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Burt

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Sabin, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 413 (file No. 274), entitled

A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 225 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton now comprising the fifth judicial circuit," the same being section six thousand five hundred and twenty-two *d1* (6522*d1*) of the third volume of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin	
Burt	Gibson	Steel	
Crane	Gilbert	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Earle	Morrow	Wilkins	18

NAYS.

Mr. Clapp 1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wilkins,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 575 (file No. 214), entitled

A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 11 of act No. 164 of public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act," the same being section 5141 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to libraries in school districts.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Gilbert	Turnbull	
Doran	Hopkins	Weiss	
Earle	Hough	Wilkins	18

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 290 (file No. 197), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 186 of the public acts of 1867, entitled "An act to authorize dissection in certain cases for the advancement of science," approved March 27, 1867, as amended by act 113 of the public acts of 1871, act 138 of the public acts of 1875; act No. 16 of the public acts of 1881, and act No. 83 of the public acts of 1885, the same being compiler's section 2284 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Burt	Gibson	Mugford	
Champion	Gilbert	Steel	
Clark	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Crane	Hough	Weiss	
Doran	McLaughlin	Wilkins	21

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gilbert,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 713 (file No. 359), entitled

A bill to provide for the proof of instruments purporting to be executed by any corporation, joint stock company or partnership association, limited, foreign or domestic, under its common seal.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	French	Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Sabin	
Champion	Gibson	Steel	
Clapp	Gilbert	Turnbull	
Clark	Hopkins	Weiss	
Crane	Hough	Wilkins	
Doran			22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

The time being 3:35 o'clock p. m.

The executive session closed the time being 3:45 o'clock p. m.

House bill No. 862 (file No. 286), entitled

A bill to prohibit catching or taking fish in Maple river and tributary streams in any other manner than with hook and line.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	24
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 244 (file No. 281), entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 1, sections 7, 8 and 14 of chapter 3, section 6 of chapter 6, section 1 of chapter 8, and to add a new section to chapter 6 to stand as section 16 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof.

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Clapp	Gibson	Morrow	
Clark	Gilbert	Mugford	
Crane	Hopkins	Sabin	
Doran	Hough	Weiss	
Fox	Jewell	Wilkins	
French			19
	NAYS.		
Mr. Earle			1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Morrow,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

By the joint committee on distribution of manuals:

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

The joint committee on distribution of manuals beg leave to report the following distribution:

Governor	98
Lieutenant Governor	78
Secretary of State	75
State Treasurer	20
Commissioner of Land Office	20
Auditor General	20
Attorney General	20
Superintendent of Public Instruction	20

Speaker of the House	72
32 Senators each 72	2,304
98 Representatives each 41	4,018
Secretary of Senate	32
Clerk of House	32
Assistant Secretary of Senate	6
Journal Clerk of House	6
Bill Clerk of Senate	5
Corresponding Clerk of House	5
Sergeant-at-Arms, Senate	5
" " " House	5
Engrossing Clerk, Senate	2
" " House	2
	6,847

J. MILTON EARLE,
Chairman of Joint Committee.

Report accepted and adopted.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 255 (file No. 185), entitled

A bill to provide for the appointment of a dairy and food commissioner, and to define his powers and duties and fix his compensation.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

Mr. Jewell moved to amend the bill by striking out all of section 5,

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended.

The bill was then passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel
Clark	Jewell	Turnbull
Doran	Mears	Wilkins
Fox		19

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. McLaughlin	Mr. Weiss
Hough		4

Title agreed to.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Reformatory at Ionia.

The committee on Reformatory at Ionia beg leave to submit the following report:

The committee on the Reformatory at Ionia would report that they have visited that institution and find that one entire cell block is unused, together with cells in other blocks; that there are 624 cells and that 274 of them are

not occupied, there being 350 inmates at the present time. It is the opinion of this committee that it would be more profitable for the inmates of Marquette Prison to be removed to the Ionia Reformatory, there being about 100 of them, and thus save the administration expenses of the Northern Prison. One hundred and forty convicts at Ionia are employed on furniture contracts, 20 of them contracted at 50 cents a day, the remainder employed under a written contract hereto attached. Thirty convicts are at work in the knitting department conducted on the State account system. One hundred and eighty convicts are employed about the farm and in other capacities, 75 of them at work in the caning shop, and about 30 engaged in finishing work contracted out at 50 cents per day.

Your committee would further report that the value of the plant, comprising buildings, machinery and a farm of 153 acres, is about $350,000; that the general health of the inmates has been good, with but little sickness and the institution is considered as one of the most healthy public institutions in the State. From what we could see and learn the discipline observed is especially to be commended.

Your committee would further report that an agreement was made in December, 1886, concerning the manufacture of furniture, a copy of which agreement is attached hereto, marked Exhibit No. 1.

The State has lost, in carrying out this agreement, about fifty thousand dollars.

Reference is also made to the supplemental agreement, a copy of which is hereto annexed, marked Exhibit No. 2.

A dispute having arisen over the agreements, an arbitration was settled upon. About four months ago the arbitrators made a decision, and now the furniture contract does not result in any loss to the State, but a slight profit. It is evident, however, that the interests of the State will not be subserved by a further continuance of the contracts. We would recommend that the Attorney General investigate the furniture contract and ascertain if the provisions thereof have been carried out by the parties contracting with the State, and if not, to take such measures as will protect the people's interests.

FRANK W. CLAPP,
EDMUND M. BARNARD,
M. W. CLARK,
Committee.

EXHIBIT NO. 1.

[Copy.]

This agreement made this eighth day of December, A. D. 1886, between E. C. Watkins, warden of the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, Michigan, party of the first part and D. W. Miller, of the city of Detroit, in said State, party of the first part,

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part for himself as warden, for his successors in office and for the said State of Michigan, in consideration of the compensation, covenants and agreements hereinafter set forth stipulated and contained to be paid, kept and performed by the said party of the second part, and on his behalf or by his executors or assigns, does hereby covenant, promise and agree for the said State of Michigan for himself as warden, and for his successors in office as follows:

First, To furnish all material and manufacture for the said second party a minimum of fifty (50) and a maximum of two hundred (200) bedsteads for each working day during the continuance of this contract at the option of the said first party at the price of one dollar ($1.00) each;

Second, Said first party shall deliver the bedsteads in car load lots on boad the cars on either siding at the State House of Correction or in the rooms located on either of the said sidings, which shall be provided by the said second party;

Third, To use elm, oak, ash, maple and beech lumber, and construct the bedstead in all particulars similar to the sample furnished by the second party as a working model, except that the head piece shall be one foot (1) higher than said sample;

Fourth, To manufacture five (5) different styles or kinds of bedsteads as requested by the said second party, which shall not require any material change in the machinery, and if the style of the bedstead costs less than the one used as a basis either in work or material, a corresponding deduction shall be made in the price. But if the style of the bedstead shall cost more than the one used as a basis either in work or material, a corresponding increase shall be made in the price of the bedstead.

At least one thousand (1,000) bedsteads shall be ordered of a kind or of the same style before a change shall be made for another style.

Fifth, And the said second party for himself, his heirs, executors or assigns does hereby covenant and agree as follows:

First, To take and pay for all bedsteads manafactured during any month at the prices above stated, on or before the fifteenth day of the succeeding month;

Second, Second party also agrees that in case he fails to order the shipment of the bedsteads as fast and as often as a car load shall be ready for shipment to provide at his own cost suitable rooms at convenient points on the sidings of the said State House of Correction, in which to store such goods; and said first party shall deliver said bedsteads in said store houses and shall not thereafter be responsible for their safety;

Third, Said second party agrees that he will furnish a machine called a universal woodmaker, and also a sand paper machine without cost to said first party, the same to be used in the factory of the first party until such time as the Legislature shall have appropriated moneys which shall be lawfully used in their purchase, when they shall be paid for at cost. It is mutually agreed that the price of the bedsteads heretofore furnished said first party as a working model or sample with a head piece one (1) foot higher shall be one dollar ($1.00) per bedstead, and shall be the basis from which shall be determined the price of all other kinds or styles of bedsteads sold and delivered under this contract. In fixing the price of all the bedsteads which forms the basis of price, lumber seasoned and in the yard of the said State House of Correction is fixed at thirteen dollars per thousand feet and labor of men at fifty cents per day per man. Should the value of lumber increase during the life of this contract beyond this price a corresponding increase shall be made in the price of such bedstead. And should the value diminish a corresponding decrease shall be made in the price of such bedsteads. The price of all other bedsteads sold and delivered under this contract shall be determined and arrived at by adding to or deducting from the price of said one dollar bedstead the increase or decrease in labor and material used in providing such other or different

styles or kinds, such increase or decrease to be computed at the rate hereinbefore mentioned.

It is further mutually agreed that said second party shall have the right to change the style of any kind of bedstead once in each six months upon furnishing said first party with sample or working model of the kind desired: *Provided*, No change of style or kind shall be made which requires the purchase or use of machinery which is not now required in the production of the five kinds of styles hereinbefore first mentioned, and provided that at least one thousand of the kind to be charged have already been made. It is mutually agreed that the time of this agreement shall be eight years, and shall begin on the first day of January, A. D. 1887, and end on the first day of January A. D. 1895. And it is further mutually agreed that said second party may terminate this contract upon giving the said first party six months' notice so to do and paying for all bedsteads manufactured and on hand, and all lumber and material on hand or contracted for, and also paying the value of all machinery purchased exclusively for use in the manufacture of bedsteads.

In witness whereof, the parties hereto have hereunto affixed their hands and seals.

[Signed] E. C. WATKINS, *Warden*, [L. S.]
D. W. MILLER. [L. S.]

The within Contract is approved.

[Signed] A. H. PIPER,
JOHN HEFFRON,
H. RICH,
Board of Managers.

EXHIBIT No. 2.

[Copy.]

This supplementary agreement made this first day of January, 1889, between E. C. Watkins, warden, and The Cochrane & Miller Furniture Company, a corporation, and attached to original contract with D. W. Miller, for the manufacture of beds, and by mutual consent and agreement made a part of the same.

First, Said Cochrane & Miller Furniture Company, by its President and Secretary, duly authorized to sign for said company, agrees to take from the State such furniture as may be made from the short lumber necessarily unused in manufacturing beds, and also stock in white wood now on hand, consisting of cases, commodes, tables, stands, etc., as fast as they shall be manufactured, and to pay for them at such price, in the white, as shall be agreed upon in each case between said E. C. Watkins, warden, or his successors, and the said company, taking as basis the cost of material and reckoning labor at 50 cents per day, and a fair allowance for superintendent or foreman and machine work, payment to be made at the usual time each month in accordance with the terms of said contract.

Second, Said first party for himself and successors agrees to manufacture in a workmanlike manner the short lumber left from the beds into such small furniture as is best calculated to work it up, in accordance with statement above made, and to turn it all over to the said second party on fair and just terms: *Provided*, That in case the said parties shall fail to agree on the price of any or all of the goods thus manufactured, the

warden hereby expressly reserves the right to sell said goods to anyone at his pleasure.

It is further mutually agreed that so long as the said second party shall take and pay for the goods manufactured, at prices to be agreed upon between the said parties within the limits of the original contract as to time, the said first party shall not let any other contract for furniture within said prison; but the said second party shall take the entire furniture output of the prison factory.

It is further mutually agreed that the company shall give reasonable notice to the warden of the kind of lumber desired and the class and amount of goods to be made; and the warden shall, so far as is consistent with the interests of the State, purchase the lumber and manufacture the goods requested. But frequent changes shall not be made, nor shall requisitions for small amounts be presented.

Further, It is mutually agreed that the said second party may finish the goods manufactured in the shops of the S. H. of C., using prisoners to do the work under direction of competent foremen, to be provided by said second party, paying therefor at the rate of sixty (60) cents per day for all men employed, having one year or more to serve, and forty (40) cents per day for all men employed having less than one year to serve; all labor performed in any one month to be paid for on or before the 15th of the succeeding month.

It is understood between the said parties that an additional sand machine shall be put in by the State, to the end that goods may be properly dressed for finishing, and that such other machinery shall be put into the factory from time to time, as the wants and needs of the business may require, in accordance with the judgment of the warden and board of managers of said prison.

D. W. MILLER,
Pres't. Cochrane & Miller Fur. Co.
C. W. PARSONS, *Sec'y.*

E. C. WATKINS,
Warden S. H. of C.

Report accepted.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Jewell moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 306 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to provide for taking a census of the population and industries of this State.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Jewell,

The bill was referred to the committee on State affairs.

Mr. Mears moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 316 (file No. 205), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 159, session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland waters of this State," approved June 24, 1891.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the amendment made by the bill,

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pierce
Brundage	Gibson	Sabin
Burt	Hopkins	Steel
Clapp	Hough	Turnbull
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss
Fox	Mears	Wilkins
French		19

NAYS. 0

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

Mr. Mears offered the followins resolution:

WHEREAS, The commission appointed by Governor Winans to consider and report as to desirable changes in the laws respecting highways, has completed its work in a manner highly satisfactory to those of our citizens interested in road improvements; therefore

Resolved, (the Senate concurring), That the thanks of the legislature are hereby tendered to Messrs. Webber, Goodrich and Kinnane for their arduous and intelligent labors in performances of the duties intrusted to such commission, and to the Hon. H. H. Hatch for able assistance rendered in the preparation and consideration of the bill before the Legislature. Especial recognition is due the Hon. R. Goodrich, the veteran of many years' service in improvement of the highways of the State for his untiring zeal and self sacrifice in completing the very effective labors of the commission.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Mears offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to have printed and distributed, as hereinafter provided, five thousand copies of the act known as the county road law, and that he send a sufficient number of copies to the clerk of each county to supply each township and city officer entitled to them with one copy each. The same to be paid for out of any money in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Mears by unanimous consent moved to discharge the committee of Finance and appropriation from the further consideration of

House bill No. 503 (file No. 369), entitled

A bill establishing a home for the soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the late civil war, their wives and mothers, and making an appropriation for the erection and maintenance thereof.

After some debate thereon

Mr. Turnbull move the previous question.

Which motion was seconded.

The question then being "shall the main question now be put?"

The same was ordered.

The question then being on the original resolution to discharge the committee from the further consideration of the bill,

Mr. Mears demanded the yeas and nays and the motion prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gilbert	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Hopkins	Sabin	
Doran	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
Earle	Mears	Weiss	
Gibson	Morrow	Wilkins	15

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Clark	Mr. French	
Clapp	Fox		5

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on State affairs:

The committee on State affairs, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 306 (file No. 240), entitled

A bill to provide for taking a census of the population and industries of this State.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, with the accompanying substitute therefor, entitled

A bill to provide for taking the census and statistics of this State.

Recommending that the substitute be concurred in, and that the substitute do pass, and ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

EDMUND M. BARNARD, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate concurred in the adoption of the substitute reported by committee.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Burt	Gibson	Mugford	
Champion	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clapp	Hopkins	Steel	
Clark	Hough	Turnbull	
Crane	Jewell	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox			25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

By a vote of two-thirds all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Insurance:

The committee on Insurance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 217 (file No. 194), entitled

A bill to amend section 18 of chapter 131 of Howell's compilation of the general statutes of the State of Michigan so as to require that all life insurance companies doing business in this State shall, on or before the year 1896, have their liabilities and the valuation of their outstanding policies computed on the basis of American experience life table of a rate of interest of 4 per cent per annum.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. MILTON EARLE *Chairman.*

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mugford
Burt	Gibson	Pierce
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin
Crane	Hopkins	Steel
Doran	Hough	Turnbull
Earle	Jewell	Weiss
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins
French		22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By the committee on Insurance:

The committee on Insurance, to whom was referred

House bill No. 431, entitled

A bill to provide a punishment for the wilfull injury or killing of live stock insured by any life stock company, with intent to defraud such insurance company,

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that it do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	French	Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Clark	Gilbert	Steel	
Crane	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Doran	Hough	Weiss	
Earle	Jewell	Wilkins	24
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

By the committee on Insurance:

The committee on Insurance, to whom was referred House bill No. 600 (file No. 193), entitled

A bill to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to establish an insurance bureau," approved April 13, 1871, being compiler's section 4213, Howell's statutes.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment and recommend that the bill do not pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. MILTON EARLE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Burt	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Steel	
Doran	Hough	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Morrow	Wilkins.	21
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Earle,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 33 (file No. 6), entitled

A bill to amend sections 14 and 15 of act No. 59 of the laws of 1851, relative to the incorporated telegraph companies, being sections 3706 and 3707 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1883,

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute entitled:

A bill to prescribe the duties of telegraph companies incorporated either within or without this State relative to the transmission of messages and to provide for the recovery of damages for negligence in the performance of such duties.

In the passage of which as thus substituted the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the substitute made by the House to the bill,

Mr. Burt moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill as substituted and demanded the yeas and nays thereon.

The motion of Mr. Burt then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Sabin	2

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Gilbert	Steel	
Champion	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Clapp	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Crane	Morrow	Wilkins	
Doran			16

The Senate then concurred, in the adoption of the House substitute for the bill, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Steel	
Clark	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Crane	Hough	Weiss	
Doran	McLaughlin	Wilkins	21

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Sabin	2

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Steel,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The bill was then referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

By unanimous consent the Senate took up the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The President of the United States has appointed a citizen of the State of Michigan to the important post of Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Kingdom of the Netherlands; therefore

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That in the appointment of William E. Quinby as minister to the Hague, the Legislature desires to express its appreciation of the compliment to the State of Michigan, and to commend the President for the selection of an able, patriotic and accomplished citizen, whose long time devotion to the interests of this State will now be directed into the larger field of devotion to the interests of the nation, no doubt with the same energy and success as has characterized his life work.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to President Cleveland, and another copy to Mr. Quinby.

Which has been adopted by the House and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 250 (file No. 355), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 20 of the laws of 1855 being an act for the incorporation of charitable societies by adding a section thereto to stand as section 7.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title and, pending its reference,

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Mugford	
Clapp	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
French	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Garvelink	Morrow	Wilkins	21
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 643 (file No. 364), entitled

A bill to amend section 1, 5, 9 and 10 of act number 140 of the session laws of 1863, entitled "An an act to provide for the selection, care and disposition of the lands donated to the State of Michigan by act of congress, approved July 2, 1862 for the endowment of colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanics arts," approved March 18th, 1863, being compilers' sections 5368, 5372, 5376 and 5377 of Howell's annotated statutes, and section 2 of act No. 95 of the session laws of 1875, entitled "An act to provide for the examination of certain forfeited and part paid agricultural college, salt spring and other lands," approved April 22, 1875, as amended by act No. 51 of the session laws of 1879, being compiler's section 5255 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect been ordered to take immediate effect, and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and second time by its title, and pending its reference,

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was placed upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	Hough	Turnbull	
Fox	Jewell	Weiss	
French	Morrow	Wilkins	
Garvelink	Mugford		20
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I am instructed by the House to transmit the following bill:

House bill No. 234 (file No. 71), entitled

A bill to provide for the free transportation by railroads of this State for all State officers and members of the Legislature.

Which has passed the House by a majority vote of all the members elect and in which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully asked.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was read a first and and second time by its title and, pending its reference,

On motion of Mr. Doran,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefore, and the bill was placed on its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. McLaughlin	2

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. French	Mr. Sabin	
Burt	Gibson	Steel	
Clapp	Jewell	Turnbull	
Clark	Mugford	Weiss	
Doran	Pierce	Wilkins	15

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 306, entitled

A bill to provide for taking the census and statistics of this State,

And to inform the Senate that the House has adopted a substitute therefor entitled:

A bill to provide for the taking the census and statistics of this State,

In the passage of which, as thus substituted, the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the House substitute for the bill,
On motion of Mr. Jewell,
The Senate concurred, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mugford	
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin	
Clapp	Gibson	Steel	
Clark	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Crane	Hough	Weiss	
Doran	Jewell	Wilkins	
Fox	McLaughlin		20

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.
On motion of Mr. Jewell,
By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.
Mr. McLaughlin, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table, Senate bill No. 105 (file No. 39), entitled
A bill to amend section 51 of chapter 7, sections 7 and 8 of chapter 11, and to add six new sections to chapter 11, to stand as sections 45, 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50 of "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883.
Pending which,
On motion of Mr. Barnard,
The Senate took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening.

AFTER RECESS.

8 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.
A quorum present.
The Senate resumed consideration of the pending question, being the motion of Mr. McLaughlin to take from the table,
Senate bill No. 105 (file No. 39), entitled
A bill to amend section 51 of chapter 7 of sections 7 and 8 of chapter 11 and to add six new sections to chapter 11 to stand as sections 45, 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50 of "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883.
The motion prevailed.
Mr. Gibson moved that the bill be referred to the committee on Cities and villages and
Mr. Turnbull having demanded the yeas and nays thereon,
The motion prevailed by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. Jewell	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Hopkins	Wilkins	
Doran			13

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Morrow	Mr. Weiss	
McLaughlin	Turnbull		5

And the bill was so referred.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Elections:

The committee on Elections, to whom was referred

House bill No. 646 (file No. 338), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 303 public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties and to punish offenses committed thereat," by adding two more sections thereto to stand as sections 8 and 9.

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, without amendment, and recommend that the bill do pass, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. McLaughlin,

The rules were suspended, two-thirds of all the Senators present voting therefor, and the bill was put upon its immediate passage.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Burt	Garvelink	Morrow	
Clapp	Gibson	Sabin	
Crane	Gilbert	Steel	
Doran	Hopkins	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	18

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Mr. McLaughlin, by unanimous consent, moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass

House bill No. 234 (file No. 71), entitled

A bill to provide for the free transportation by the railroads of this State for all State officers and members of the Legislature.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Steel	
Brundage	Gilbert	Turnbull	
Doran	Hopkins	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin		11

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Fox	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Jewell	Wilkins	
Clark			7

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

Senate bill No. 358 (file No. 117), entitled

A bill to amend sections 20, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, the same being sections 3334, 3335 and 3336 of Howell's annotated statutes.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr Mears	
Brundage	Gibson	Pierce	
Burt	Hopkins	Sabin	
Clark	Hough	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French			22

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Senate bill No. 355 (file No. 229), entitled

A bill to regulate the possession, use, transportation and sale of fish and game.

The bill was then read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Pierce	
Brundage	Garvelink	Sabin	
Burt	Gibson	Steel	
Clark	Gilbert	Turnbull	
Crane	Hough	Weiss	
Earle	Jewell	Wilkins	
Fox	McGinley		20

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

Mr. Gibson, by unanimous consent, moved that the Senate recede from its amendment to

House bill No. 867 (file No. 151), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the grand, district and subordinate lodges of the Loyal Orange Institution of the State of Michigan.

Pending which, Mr. Turnbull raised the point of order that a committee of Conference having been appointed to consider the matters of difference existing between the two Houses regarding the bill, no action could be taken thereon at this time.

The President overruled the point of order and

Mr. Turnbull appealed from the decision of the chair.

The question then being, "Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Senate,"

The Chair was sustained.

The question then recurring on the motion of Mr. Gibson that the Senate recede from its amendment, Mr. Turnbull demanded the yeas and nays and the motion then did not prevail, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Pierce	
Earle	Gibson	Sabin	
Fox	Hopkins	Steel	
French	Mears	Wilkins	12

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Doran	Mr. Morrow	
Clapp	Gilbert	Turnbull	
Clark	McGinley		8

The committee on Finance and appropriations returned to the Senate the following bill:

House bill No. 503 (file No. 369), entitled

A bill establishing a home for soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the late civil war, their wives and mothers, and making an appropriation for the erection and maintenance thereof.

From the further consideration of which the Senate had discharged the committee.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The bill was referred to the committee of the whole and placed on the general order.

GENERAL ORDER.

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The Senate went into committee of the whole on the general order, with the President in the chair.

After some time spent therein the committee rose and, through their chairman, made the following report:

The committee of the whole have had under consideration the following:

House bill No. 503 (file No. 369), entitled

A bill establishing a home for soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the late civil war, their wives and mothers, and making an appropriation for the erection and maintenance thereof.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 503 (file No. 369), entitled

A bill establishing a home for the soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the late civil war, their wives and mothers, and making an appropriation for the erection and maintenance thereof,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Hough	Sabin	
Champion	Jewell	Steele	
Clapp	McGinley	Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Earle	Mears	Wilkins	
Gibson			19

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. French	Mr. Garvelink	
Fox			4

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Brundage,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

House bill No. 555 (file No. 162), entitled

A bill to regulate the construction of the tracks of railroads and street railroads across each other, and the stringing of wires, electric or other over railroad tracks, and relative to the maintenance of such tracks heretofore so constructed and wires heretofore so strung.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Burt	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Gilbert	Sabin	
Clark	Hough	Steel	
Crane	Jewell	Turnbull	
Doran	McGinley	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Fox			25

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 123 (file No. 340), entitled

A bill to provide the manner of proving the breeding of horses.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows;

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mears
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow
Burt	Gilbert	Pierce

Mr. Clapp	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Earle	Jewell	Turnbull	
Fox	McGinley	Weiss	
French	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

Mr. Hough, by unanimous consent, moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate this morning refused to pass

House bill No. 247 (file No. 378), entitled

A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Saline Plank Road Company," approved March 23, 1848, and to provide for winding up the affairs of said company.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and passed, two-thirds of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Pierce	
Burt	Gibson	Sabin	
Champion	Gilbert	Steel	
Clapp	Hough	Turnbull	
Crane	Jewell	Weiss	
Doran	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
Earle	Mears		23
	NAYS.		
Mr. McGinley			1

Title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hough,

By a vote of two-thirds of all the Senators elect, the bill was ordered to take immediate effect.

By unanimous cousent the Senate resumed the order of

THIRD READING OF BILLS.

House bill No. 341 (file No. 302), entitled

A bill to amend chapter 67 of the revised statutes of 1846 as amended by act No. 35 of the public acts of 1881, and act No. 169 of the public acts of 1883, and also by act No. 168 of the public acts of 1889, being section 5772 a, of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to the title of real property by descent.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mears	
Champion	Gilbert	Morrow	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
French	McLaughlin	Wilkins	21
	NAYS.		0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 536 (file No. 288), entitled

A bill to provide for the placing of juries, while engaged in the trial of cases of murder, under the charge of a competent officer duly sworn as prescribed in this act, and to define the duties of certain officers in relation thereto, and to provide a penalty for any willful violation thereof.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr Mears	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Champion	Gilbert	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

House bill No. 671 (file No. 148), entitled

A bill to amend section 124 of chapter 178 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 99 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to amend section 124 of act No. 1 of the public acts of 1874, entitled 'An act to amend section 124 of an act entitled 'An act to amend chapter 93 of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled 'Of courts held by justices of the peace,' approved February 13, 1885, being section 5372 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the transfer of cases in justices' courts," being compiler's section No. 6937 of Howell's annotated statutes.

Was read a third time and, pending the taking of the vote on the passage thereof,

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Hopkins, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table,

House bill No. 691 (file No. 284), entitled

A bill to provide for the judicial investigation and determination of titles to land so as to confirm and establish the same, and for the registration of titles so established.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on striking out the enacting clause of the bill,

The motion did not prevail.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then read a third time and not passed, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Crane	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Steel	
Doran	Hough	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
French	Pierce	Wilkins	
Gibson	Sabin		14

NAYS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Clark	Mr. Jewell	
Clapp	Fox		5

Mr. Hopkins, by unanimous consent, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to rearrange the seats of this Senate and have rails erected as shall be found advisable, the same to be done after the close of the present session, and the cost of the same to be paid upon warrant of the Auditor General, which shall be issued upon the approval of the account for such expense by the committee.

Which motion did not prevail.

House bill No. 788 (file No. 341), entitled

A bill to provide for the incorporation of the uniform division of the Knights of the Maccabees,

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Morrow	
Clapp	Gibson	Pierce	
Clark	Gilbert	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fox	McLaughlin	Wilkins	
French	Mears		23

NAYS. 0

Title agreed to.

By unanimous consent the Senate resumed the order of

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate relative to the following bill:

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts.

Concerning which a difference exists between the two Houses, on which the Senate has appointed a committee of conference.

And now to inform the Senate that the House has appointed as such committee on the part of the House, Messrs. Sumner, Gordon and Wachtel.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message was laid on the table.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill.

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts.

Concerning which a difference existed between the two Houses, which difference was referred to a conference committee.

And now to inform the Senate that said conference committee has reported to the House as follows:

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

The committee of conference appointed by the two Houses upon the difference upon

Senate bill No. 199 (file No. 212), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into 12 congressional districts.

Respectfully report that they have had said matters of difference under consideration and recommend

1. That section 1, subdivision tenth, of the House amendments be amended by striking out the words "Arenac, Iosco and Alcona" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Midland and Isabella."

2. That section 1. Subdivision eleventh of the House amendments be amended by striking out the words "Midland and Isabella" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Arenac, Iosco and Alcona."

And that when so amended the two Houses do concur in said amendments, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

CHARLES S. PIERCE,
LEWIS C. HOUGH,
GEO. A. STEEL,
Senate Committee.

JOHN D. SUMNER,
THOS. E. BARKWORTH,
House Committee.

In which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report of the conference committee.

The Senate did not concur, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink			16

NAYS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Earle	Mr. Hopkins	
Clark			4

Mr. Steel moved to reconsider the vote by which the Senate refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Hopkins moved that the motion of Mr. Steel be laid on the table.

Which motion did not prevail.

The motion of Mr. Steel then prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report of the conference committee,

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The bill was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 227, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of the State officers named in the constitution of this State.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House of Representatives be and they are hereby directed to compile and prepare for publication, make indexes and superintend the publication of the Journal and documents of the present session of the Legislature, and when complete and certified to by the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Senate shall be entitled to and receive the sum of five hundred dollars, and the clerk of the House of Representatives shall be entitled to and receive the sum of six hundred dollars for such services, the same to be paid on the certificate of the Secretary of State.

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That an extra edition of 3,500 copies of the Legislative Manual be printed for the use of the Legislature.

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following joint resolution:

Senate joint resolution No. 23, entitled

Joint resolution directing the board of State Auditors to examine and settle the claim of the Jackson Stone Company for money paid into the State treasury under mistake of fact.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The joint resolution was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, There was levied upon the State lands connected with the Eastern Michigan Asylum for Insane, an assessment of about eleven hundred and seventy-five dollars as the proportionate share of benefits to said property by reason of the establishment and construction of a county drain known as the Pontiac creek drain; and

WHEREAS, The Auditor General has declined to issue his warrant on the State Treasurer for the amount of tax so assessed against said asylum lands as certified to him, on the ground that the statute (I How. An. St. section 1711) only applied to lands in the market and for sale; and

WHEREAS, The State has received the benefit of the construction of said

drain and about forty acres of land belonging thereto have been reclaimed and made valuable thereby, and the men who performed the labor are justly and equitably entitled to their pay; therefore

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Michigan Asylum for the Insane be and they are hereby authorized to pay the amount of the taxes and fees so assessed, and upon the tax roll of 1892 of the fourth ward of the city of Pontiac, against said asylum property on account of the construction of said drain, not exceeding twelve hundred dollars, the same to be paid out of any funds belonging to said institution.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 509, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for improving the sanitary condition of the State capitol.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 174, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act supplemental to the charter of the city of Detroit, and relating to parks, boulevards and other public grounds in said city, and to repeal act No. 374 of the local acts of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a broad street or boulevard about the limits of the city of Detroit and through portions of the townships of Hamtramck, Greenfield and Springwells, in the county of Wayne,'" approved May 21, 1879, approved May 8, 1889, by adding a new section to said act, approved May 8, 1889, to stand as section No. 31.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 335, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 87 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the appropriation of money to pay the salary of the Attorney General, clerks and certain expenses in such department and to provide the manner and condition of payment and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect, has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 332, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the general expenses of the State government, salaries of State offices of the State department and the expenses of the Legislature for the years 1893 and 1894 and to provide a tax for such purposes.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 193, entitled

A bill to repeal section 32 and to amend section 33 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Central roalroad company" approved March 28, 1846.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect, and by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elect has ordered the same to take immediate effect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of act No. 146 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1857, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Supreme Court pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution," approved February 16, 1857, as amended, relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court; and requiring them to reside, during their terms of office, in the city of Lansing, being compiler's section 6393 of 3 Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 380 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act number 88 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act requiring corporations doing business in this State whose principal offices are out of the State, to keep a list of their stockholders and a transfer book within this State," being section 4900 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to have printed and distributed as hereinafter provided, five thousand copies of the act known as the county road law and that he send a sufficient number of copies to the county clerk of each county to supply each township and city officer entitled to them, with one copy each. The same to be paid for out of any money in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated.

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 56 (file No. 135), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 14, 16, 17, 23, 26, 32 and 43 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and [deception] deceptions at elections in this State."

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The commission appointed by Governor Winans to consider

and report as desirable changes in the laws respecting highways has completed its work in a manner highly satisfactory to those of our citizens interested in road improvement; therefore

Resolved (the House concurring), That the thanks of the Legislature are hereby tendered to Messrs. Webber, Goodrich and Kinnane for their arduous and intelligent labors in the performance of their duties entrusted to such commission, and to Hon. H. H. Hatch, for able assistance rendered in the preparation and consideration of the bill before the Legislature; especial recognition is due to H. R. Goodrich, the veteran of many years' service in improvement of the highways of the State, for his untiring zeal and self sacrifice in completing the very effective labors of the commission.

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bill:

Senate bill No. 355 (file No. 229), entitled

A bill to regulate the possession, use, transportation and sale of fish and game.

In the passage of which the House has concurred by a majority vote of all the members elect.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following:

Resolved by the Senate (the House concurring), That the Governor of the State, upon recommendation of the Military Board, may establish the camp of inspection for the Michigan State troops for the year 1893, for a period not exceeding ten days, in the vicinity of Chicago, Ill.: *Provided, however*, That said encampment shall not require the expenditure of a larger amount of the State military funds than an encampment for the same period of time would require within the State.

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the committee on Engrossment and enrollment for enrollment.

The President also announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following report of the joint committee on the distribution of the manual:

Governor	98
Lieutenant Governor	78
Secretary of State	75
State Treasurer	20
Commissioner of Land Office	20
Auditor General	20
Attorney General	20
Superintendent of Public Instruction	20
Speaker of the House	72
32 Senators each 72	2,304
98 Representatives each 41	4,018
Secretary of Senate	32
Clerk of House	32
Assistant Secretary of Senate	6
Journal Clerk of House	6
Bill Clerk of Senate	5
Corresponding Clerk of House	5
Sergeant-at-Arms, Senate	5
" " " House	5
Engrossing Clerk, Senate	2
" " House	2
	6,847

In the adoption of which the House has concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 68 (file No. 18), being

A bill in relation to taxable transfer of property.

Senate bill No. 234 (file No. 224), being

A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments of this State, to provide for the inspection and regulation of such manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the enforcement of such regulation and inspection.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed, and presented to the Governor the following:

Senate bill No. 73, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 28 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 7, 1887, as amended, relative to the appointment of assistant prosecuting attorneys for Wayne county, being compiler's section 561 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate bill No. 101 (file No. 36), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of 1881, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 2 of said act.

Senate bill No. 420 (file No. 247), entitled

A bill to regulate the length of time which shall be a day's labor by certain employés on railroads in this State, and to provide for *pro rata* compensation for extra services in addition to their daily compensation.

Senate bill No. 85 (file No. 50), entitled

A bill to authorize the State Board of Agriculture to hold institutes, and to establish courses of reading and lectures for the instruction of citizens of this State in the various branches of agriculture, and making an appropriation therefor.

Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 96 of the public acts of 1887, relative to salaries of justices of the supreme court approved May 11, 1887, so as to require said justices to reside during their terms of office in the city of Lansing.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

By the committee on Supplies and expenses:

The committee on Supplies and expenses to whom was referred the following accounts:

Florence C. Betts,	
To rent of typewriter two months, $5.00	$10 00
To rent of desks five months, $1.00	5 00
Mary Wilcox,	
To washing for May	21 24
Chas. Hasse,	
To fountain pen for Mr. Chilson	3 00
The Smith Premier Typewriter Co.,	
To rent of two typewriters	35 80
Americanus Water Co.,	
To supply of water for May	22 00
D. D. Thorp,	
Furnishing ribbon and printing badges	3 00
Bennett & Brake,	
Cleaning fluid	75
Page & Turney,	
To matches	1 00

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the accounts be allowed.

R. E. FRENCH, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and adopted.

By unanimous consent, the Senate resumed the order of

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Steel offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate are tendered to Robert Smith & Co., State Printers and Binders, for their promptness and efficiency in executing the work required of them.

Which was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Steel offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That hereafter the daily session of the Senate be held at 11 o'clock a. m.

Which resolution adopted.

Mr. Garvelink offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to act with a like committee of the House to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the Legislature has completed its work and is ready to adjourn and to ascertain if he has any further communication which he desires to make to the Legislature.

Which resolution was adopted.

The President announced as such committee on the part of the Senate: Messrs. Garvelink, Sabin and Morrow

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to inform the Senate that Messrs. Sumner, Barkworth and Norman have been appointed as a committee on the part of the House to act with a like committee on the part of the Senate to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the two Houses have completed their work and are ready to adjourn, and inquire if he has any further communication to make to the Legislature.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message was laid on the table.

Mr. Clapp offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the House and inform that body that the Senate has completed its work and is ready to adjourn.

Which resolution was adopted.

The President announced the following committee:

Messrs. Clapp, Steel and Hough.

Mr. Turnbull offered the following resolution:

In recognition of the colored voters and taxpayers of this State, it is hereby

Resolved, That ninety cents per day extra compensation be granted to J. C. Ford, keeper of the Senate cloak room.

On which resolution he demanded the yeas and nays.

The resolution then was not adopted, a majority of all the Senators present not voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Burt	Mr. Jewell	Mr. Morrow	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Gilbert			7

NAYS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Fox	Mears	
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce	
Crane			10

The committee appointed to act with a like committee on the part of the House to wait upon the Governor reported that they had performed that duty and that the Governor had informed them that he had no further communications to make, and the committee ask to be discharged.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. McGinley offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That Mrs. Florence C. Betts be allowed $1.00 per day extra compensation.

Mr. Hopkins moved that the resolution be laid on the table.

On which motion Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion to lay the resolution on the table then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mears	
Earle	Gibson	Pierce	
Fox	Hopkins	Sabin	
French	Jewell		11

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Turnbull	
Crane	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Doran	Morrow	Wilkins	9

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The Senate took a recess until 11:30 o'clock p. m.

AFTER RECESS.

11:30 o'clock p. m.

The Senate met and was called to order by the President.

A quorum present.

Mr. Pierce, by unanimous consent, moved to take from the table,

Senate bill No. 136 (file No. 237), entitled

A bill to divide the State of Michigan into 12 congressional districts.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on concurring in the adoption of the report of the conference committee.

The report was not adopted, a majority of all the Senators elect not voting therefore, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Gibson	Mr. Pierce	
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Weiss	
French	Mears	Wilkins	
Garvelink			16

NAYS.

Mr. Clark	Mr. Hopkins	Mr. Hough	
Earle			4

The committee appointed to wait upon the House and inform that body that the Senate had completed its work and was ready to adjourn, reported that they had performed that duty and asked to be discharged.

Report accepted and committee discharged.

Mr. Weiss by unanimous consent offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Florence C. Betts did extra work as stenographer and typewriter in the several contested election cases before this body,

Resolved, That she be allowed fifty dollars as extra compensation.

Mr. Hopkins moved that the resolution be laid on the table.

On which motion Mr. Doran demanded the yeas and nays.

The motion of Mr. Hopkins then prevailed, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Jewell	
Burt	French	Mears	
Clapp	Garvelink	Pierce	
Crane	Gibson	Steel	
Earle	Hopkins		14

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Gilbert	Morrow	Wilkins	
Hough	Sabin		11

Mr. Pierce moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 11 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Lansing, Saturday, May 27, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: Not a quorum present.

Present: Senators Barnard, Champion, Clapp, Clark, Gilbert, Hopkins, McGinley, Morrow, Pierce, Sabin, Turnbull and Weiss.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 25, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Senate bill No. 437 (file No. 217), being

An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations.

Senate bill No. 203 (file No. 228), being

An act to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 25 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 9, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for three additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit," so as to provide one other additional circuit judge for the third judicial circuit.

Senate bill No. 379 (file No. 244), being

An act to amend sections 38, 39 and 40 of chapter 192 of compiled laws of 1871 (chapter 266 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan), being sections 7697, 7698 and 7699 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 226 (file No. 226), being

An act to amend act No. 28, laws of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a game and fish warden, and to prescribe his powers and duties."

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

Mr. Pierce moved that the Senate adjourn,

Which motion prevailed, and

The President declared the Senate adjourned until 11 o'clock a. m., on Monday next.

Lansing, Monday, May 29, 1893.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

Roll called: not a quorum present.

The following Senators answered to their names: Messrs. Champion, Clapp, Hopkins, Mears, Morrow, Pierce, Turnbull and Weiss.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

By the committee on Engrossment and enrollment:

The committee on Engrossment and enrollment report as correctly enrolled, signed and presented to the Governor, the following:

Senate bill No. 199 (file No 212), entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such

lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act.

Senate bill No. 227, entitled

A bill to fix the salaries of the State officers named in the constitution of this State.

Senate bill No. 335, entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 87 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the appropriation of money to pay the salary of the Attorney General, clerks and certain expenses in such department, and to provide the manner and condition of payment and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act.

Senate bill No. 193, entitled.

A bill to repeal section 32 and to amend section 33 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Central railroad company," approved March 28, 1846.

Senate bill No. 332, entitled

A bill making an appropriation for the general expenses of the State government, salaries of State officers, the expenses of the State departments, and the expenses of the Legislature for the years 1893 and 1894, and to provide a tax for such purposes.

Senate bill No. 252 (file No. 255), entitled

A bill to amend section 14 of act number 146 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1857, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the Supreme Court pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution," approved February 16, 1857, as amended, relative to salaries of justices of the Supreme Court; and requiring them to reside, during their terms of office, in the city of Lansing, being compiler's section 6393 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 380 (file No. 243), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 88 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act requiring corporations doing business in this State whose principal offices are out of the State to keep a list of their stockholders and a transfer book within this State," being section 4900 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 174, entitled

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act supplemental to the charter of the city of Detroit and relating to parks, boulevards and other public grounds in said city, and to repeal act No. 374 of the local acts of 1879, entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a broad street or boulevard about the limits of the city of Detroit, and through portions of the townships of Hamtramck, Greenfield and Springwells, in the county of Wayne,'" approved May 21, 1879, approved May 8, 1889, by adding a new section to said act, approved May 8, 1889, to stand as section No. 31.

Senate bill No. 316 (file No. 205), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 159, session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland waters of this State, approved June 24, 1891.

House substitute for Senate bill No. 33, entitled

A bill to prescribe the duties of telegraph companies incorporated either within or without this State, relative to the transmission of messages and to provide for the recovery of damages for negligence in the performance of such duties.

Senate bill No. 146 (file No. 238), entitled

A bill making appropriations for the State Board of Fish Commissioners, for the year ending June 30, 1894, and the year ending June 30, 1895.

Senate bill 509, entitled

A bill to provide for the sanitary condition of the State capitol building with reference to sewerage and water supply.

House substitute for Senate bill No. 306, entitled

A bill to provide for taking the census and statistics of the State.

Senate bill No. 355 (file No. 229), entitled

A bill to regulate the possession, use, transportation and sale of fish and game.

Senate bill No. 56 (file No. 135), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1, 14, 16, 17, 23, 26, 32 and 43 of act number 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and (deception) deceptions at elections in this State."

Senate joint resolution No. 23, entitled

Joint resolution directing the Board of State Auditors to examine and settle the claim of the Jackson Stone Company for money paid into the State treasury under a mistake of fact.

CHARLES S. PIERCE, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE.

The President announced the following:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Lansing, May 29, 1893.

To the President of the Senate:

SIR—I am instructed by the House to return to the Senate the following bills:

Senate bill No. 504 (file No. 239), entitled

A bill to amend sections 7, 8 and 17, repealing section 33 and leaving section 34 to stand as section 33 of act No. 313 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous or intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act."

Senate bill No. 131 (file No. 164), entitled

A bill to establish a permanent State weather service in this State co-operating with the weather bureau, U. S. department of agriculture, for the purpose of the collection and compilation of climatic and meteorologic data, the accurate and rapid dissemination of daily weather forecasts, also frost and cold wave warnings and the weather crop conditions, the same to be used for the benefit of the agricultural, commercial and scientific interests of the State, and making an appropriation therefor.

Senate bill No. 60 (file No. 56), entitled

A bill to amend act No. 249 of the session laws of 1889, entitled "An act relating to the admission of insane members of the Michigan Soldiers' Home to the insane asylums of this State, and to their support at such asylums," approved July 3, 1890.

Senate bill No. 59 (file No. 55), entitled

A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 145 of the laws of Michigan of the year 1891, entitled "An act authorizing the board of managers of the Michigan Soldiers' Home to sell certain real estate now belonging to the State of Michigan, and to apply the proceeds of such sale to the improvement of grounds and buildings of that institution, approved June 19, 1891.

Senate bill No. 474, entitled

A bill appropriating the sum of five thousand dollars for altering and extending the sewer and sewerage system of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson.

Senate bill No. 88 (file No. 219), entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of act No. 40 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act for the republication and sale of such of the reports of the Supreme Court of this State, as are or may become out of print, and have not been stereotyped; and to repeal act No. 217 of the session laws of 1875, being an act entitled 'An act to provide for the republication and sale of such of the reports of the Supreme Court of this State, as are or may be out of print,'" approved May 3, 1875, being section 7226 of 2d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan of 1882.

Senate bill No. 292 (file No. 154), entitled

A bill to amend section 7127 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 8686 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to writs of error, as amended by act No. 151 of the public acts of 1889, approved June 17, 1889.

Senate bill No. 214 (file No. 170), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act 179 of the public acts of 1881, being section 6399 of Howell's statutes, relative to crier of the supreme court.

Senate bill No. 179 (file No. 202), entitled

A bill authorizing the judge of probate of the county of St. Clair to appoint a register, prescribing his powers and duties and fixing his compensation.

Senate bill No. 195 (file No. 155), entitled

A bill to amend section 11 of act No. 116 of the public acts of 1882, entitled "An act to amend section 11 of act No. 168 of the session laws of 1879, entitled 'An act to provide for the publication, stereotyping, printing, binding, distribution and sale of the reports and decisions of the supreme court of Michigan, and to repeal sections 5 and 6 of chapter 180, being compiler's sections 5655 and 5656 of the compiled laws of 1871,'" approved April 15, 1879, and being compiler's section 7214 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan of 1882.

Senate bill No. 172 (file No. 102), entitled

A bill to amend sections eleven and fifteen of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of co-operative and mutual benefit associations and to define the powers and duties, and regulate the transaction of the business of all such corporations and associations doing business within this State," the same being act number one hundred and eighty-seven of the public acts of 1887.

Senate bill No. 319 (file No. 195), entitled

A bill to amend sections 9 and ten of act No. 276 session laws of 1889, as amended by act No. 152 session laws of 1891, entitled "An act for the protection of game."

Senate bill No. 338 (file No. 230), entitled

A bill to provide for the examination of candidates for admission to the Agricultural College by county commissioners of schools.

Senate bill No. 416 (file No. 166), entitled

A bill exempting from jury duty veterans who served one year or more in the volunteer army or navy of the United States.

Senate bill No 80 (file No. 242), entitled

A bill to authorize and empower executors, administrators and guardians to sell real estate of deceased persons and of persons under guardianship, at private sale, and to provide for the disposition and investment of the proceeds of such sale, under direction of the probate courts of this State.

Senate bill No. 128 (file No. 60), entitled

A bill to amend section 42 of act number 213 of the session laws of 1875, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison and the government and discipline thereof and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith," being consecutive section number 9705 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State.

Senate joint resolution No. 1 (file No. 3), entitled

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 15, article 4, of the constitution of this State relative to the compensation of members of the Legislature.

Senate joint resolution No. 3 (file No. 1), entitled

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 3, of article 4, of the constitution of the State of Michigan relative to the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State.

Senate bill No. 488, entitled

A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 2, sections 2, 3 and 4 of chapter 4, and section 5 of chapter 8 of act No. 255 of the local acts of 1891, entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Negaunee, in Marquette county, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Negaunee, in Marquette county, approved April 11, 1873, and the acts amendatory thereof," approved March 27, 1891.

Senate bill No. 55, entitled

A bill to provide for the location and establishment of a normal school in the lower peninsula at some point north of town No. 13 north in the State of Michigan, and for the appointment of commissioners for the locating and establishment of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor.

Senate bill No. 130 (file No. 231), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 31 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to prohibit the maintenance of saloons and other places of entertainment in which intoxicating liquors are sold and to prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors within one mile of the Soldiers' Home," approved March 17, 1887, being section 1984 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Senate bill No 458 (file No. 96), entitled

A bill to provide for the final determination of any controversy or contest concerning the appointment of all or any of the presidential electors of this State.

Senate bill No. 108 (file No. 68), entitled

A bill to exempt school district No. 1 in the township of Plymouth in the county of Wayne, from the provisions of act No. 147 of the public acts of 1891, as to inspecting and granting certificates to teach-

ers employed in the same and to authorize the district board to inspect and grant certificates to such teachers.

House bill No. 641 (file No. 272), entitled

A bill to establish a public hospital in the city of Detroit,

Together with the Senate substitute therefore, entitled

A bill to establish a contagious disease hospital in the city of Detroit.

Senate bill No. 411 (file No. 241), entitled

A bill for the ascertainment and protection of the interests of the State in escheated estates.

Senate bill No. 213 (file No. 139), entitled

A bill to provide that the division of the league of American wheelmen and the branches thereof, known as clubs of the State of Michigan, may be incorporated.

Senate bill No. 433, entitled

A bill to provide for the taxation and collection of taxes of persons, companies, associations and corporations, whether located within or without this State, engaged in running palace, drawing room or sleeping cars over or upon any railroad situated wholly or partly within this State.

Senate bill No. 454, (file No. 194) entitled

A bill to prevent any person or employer of labor to coerce or prevent employés from joining or belonging to any lawfully organized labor organizations and to provide a punishment therefor.

Senate bill No. 358 (file No. 117), entitled

A bill to amend sections twenty, twenty-one and twenty-two of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873; the same being sections 3334, 3335 and 3336, of Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate bill No. 290 (file No. 197), entitled

A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 186 of the public acts of 1867, entitled "An act to authorize dissection in certain cases for the advancement of science," approved March 27, 1867, as amended by act No. 113 of the public acts of 1871, act No. 138 of the public acts of 1875, act No. 16 of the public acts of 1881, and act No. 83 of the public acts of 1885, the same being compiler's section 2284 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan.

Senate bill No. 265 (file No. 249), entitled

A bill specifying duties of health authorities, providing for a public sanitary meeting annually in each township, city and village, and for the adoption of estimates for ordinary sanitary work and expenditures.

In the passage of which the House has non-concurred.

Very respectfully,
LEWIS M. MILLER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message was laid on the table.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The President announced the following:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 451 (file No. 120), being

An act to provide for a board of trustees for the management and control of the Michigan Industrial School for Boys, and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act.

Senate bill No. 26 (file No. 209), being

An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction and branch of the State Prison in the Upper Peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith.

Senate bill No. 137 (file No. 64), being

An act to provide for the government, management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act.

Senate bill No. 153 (file No. 161), being

An act to provide for the maintenance and management and control of the Michigan School for the Deaf and to repeal all laws inconsistent herewith.

Senate bill No. 262 (file No. 215), being

An act to provide for the control and management of the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The message was laid on the table.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, May 27, 1893.

To the Senate:

I have this day approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State

Senate bill No. 143 (file No. 221), being

An act to amend section 1755 of chapter 58 of the compiled laws of 1857, as amended by act 32 of the public acts of 1871, as amended by act 80 of the public acts of 1881, the same being section 4588 of chapter 165 of Howell's annotated statutes, and being an act for the incorporation of charitable societies.

Senate bill No. 342 (file No. 148), being

An act to provide for the annexing of the township of White Rock, in the county of Huron, to the township of Sherman in said county.

Senate bill No. 14 (file No. 2), being

An act to revive and re-enact section 114, and sections 115 and 116 as amended by act No. 1 of the public acts of 1889, approved January 11, 1889, the same being sections 83, 84 and 85 of chapter 6 of the compiled laws of 1871, and consecutive sections 240, 241 and 242 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

Senate bill No. 73, being

An act to amend section 1 of act No. 28 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 7, 1887, as amended, relative to the appointment of assistant prosecuting attorneys for Wayne county, being compiler's section 561 of 3 Howell's annotated statutes.

Senate bill No. 275 (file No. 168), being

An act to provide for incorporating the record of proceedings had on motions for new trial in bills of exceptions.

Senate bill No. 54 (file No. 25), being

An act to amend section 1 of act No. 154, public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to amend section 10 of chapter 342 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended by act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Reform School.

Senate bill No. 332, being

An act making an appropriation for the general expenses of the State government, salaries of State officers, the expenses of the State departments and the expenses of the Legislature for the years 1893 and 1894 and to provide a tax for such purpose.

Senate bill No. 335, being

An act to amend section 1 of act No. 87 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the appropriation of money to pay the salary of the Attorney General, clerks and certain expenses in such department, and to provide the manner and condition of payment, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act..

Senate bill No. 234 (file No. 224), being

An act to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments of this State, to provide for the inspection and regulation of such manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the enforcement of such regulation and inspection.

Senate bill No. 227, being

An act to fix the salaries of the State officers named in the constitution of this State.

Senate bill No. 351, being

An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 18, 22, 47 and 48, of chapter 12, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

Senate bill No. 303 (file No. 245), being

An act to appropriate $20,000 to erect and equip a building for physical education and training at the State Normal School at Ypsilanti.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor*.

The hour of 12 o'clock, noon, having arrived,

Mr. Weiss moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

Whereupon,

The President announced that in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and the concurrent resolution heretofore adopted, the Senate would stand adjourned without day.

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IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, January 3, 1889.

On motion of Mr. Fox,
The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 2:30 o'clock, p. m.
A quorum present.
The President announced the following message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, January 10, 1893.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Simeon R. Billings, of Genesee county, to the office of Commissioner of Railroads, for the term of two years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate George W. Hill, of Saginaw county, to the office of Inspector of Salt, for the term of two years from and after the 26th day of January, 1893.

I also nominate James B. Knight, of Dickinson county, to the office of Commissioner of Mineral Statistics, for the term of two years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate Charles L. Eaton, of VanBuren county, to the office of Adjutant General, for the term of two years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate George M. Devlin, of Jackson county, to the office of Quartermaster General, for the term of two years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate Frank J. Haynes, of St. Clair county, to the office of Inspector General, for the term of two years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The message was referred to the committee on Executive business.

After some time spent in the consideration of the foregoing message,

The committee on Executive business submitted the following report:

The committee on Executive business, to whom was referred the message of the Governor, nominating

Simeon R. Billings to the office of Commissioner of Railroads;

George W. Hill to the office of Inspector of Salt;

James B. Knight to the office of Mineral Statistics;

Charles L. Eaton to the office of Adjutant General;

George M. Devlin to the office of Quartermaster General; and

Frank J. Haines to the office of Inspector General;

Respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration, and have directed me to report the same back to the Senate, recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the foregoing nominations, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

JAN W. GARVELINK, *Chairman.*

Report accepted and committee discharged.

The Senate then advised and consented to the nomination of Simeon R. Billings to the office of Commissioner of Railroads for the term of two years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	Jordan	Sawyer	
Flesheim	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mears	Weiss	30

NAYS. 0

The Senate then advised and consented to the nomination of George W. Hill to the office of Inspector of Salt, for the term of two years from and after the 26th day of January, 1893, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	Jordan	Sawyer	
Flesheim	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mears	Weiss	30

NAYS. 0

The Senate then advised and consented to the nomination of James B. Knight to the office of Commissioner of Mineral Statistics, for the term of two years from and after the first day of January, 1893, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	Jordan	Sawyer	
Flesheim	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mears	Weiss	30

NAYS. 0

The Senate then advised and consented to the nomination of Charles L. Eaton to the office of Adjutant General, for the term of two years from and after the first day of January, 1893, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	Jordan	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mears	Weiss	30

NAYS. 0

The Senate then advised and consented to the nomination of George M. Devlin to the office of Quartermaster General, for the term of two years from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1893, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe
Clapp	Hough	Pierce
Clark	Jewell	Sabin
Crane	Jordan	Sawyer

Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mears	Weiss	30
	NAYS.		0

The Senate then advised and consented to the nomination of Frank J. Haynes to the office of Inspector General, for the term of two years from and after the first day of January, 1893, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Garvelink	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Gibson	Morrow	
Burt	Gilbert	Mugford	
Champion	Hopkins	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hough	Pierce	
Clark	Jewell	Sabin	
Crane	Jordan	Sawyer	
Fleshiem	McGinley	Steel	
Fox	McLaughlin	Turnbull	
French	Mears	Weiss	30
	NAYS.		0

On motion of Mr. Pierce,
The executive session closed, the time being 2:47 p. m.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, February 7, 1893.

On motion of Mr. Doran,
The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

The time being 2:35 o'clock p. m.
The President announced the following:

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, February 7, 1893.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Ira H. Butterfield, of Lapeer, Lapeer county, and Charles W. Garfield, of Grand Rapids, Kent county, as members of the State Board of Agriculture, for the term of six years from and after the third Wednesday in January, 1893.

I also nominate George D. Gillespie, of Grand Rapids, Kent county, as member of the State Board of Corrections and Charities, for the term of eight years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate Thomas B. Dunstan, of Hancock, Houghton county, as member of the Board of Control Michigan Mining School, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Michael Chambers, whose term of office would have expired June 9, 1893.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nominations, in gross, without reference to the committee on Executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. Mears	
Brundage	French	Morrow	
Burt	Garvelink	Pascoe	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clark	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McGinley	Weiss	
Fleshiem	McLaughlin		26

NAYS. 0

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The executive session closed, the time being 2:45 p. m.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, February 8, 1893.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

The time being 5:10 o'clock p. m.

The President announced the following

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, February 8, 1893.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Augustus C. Baldwin and Joseph E. Sawyer, of

Pontiac, as trustees of the Eastern Michigan Asylum for the Insane, for the term of six years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The Senate advised and consented to the nominations contained in the foregoing message of the Governor, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Earle	Mr. McLaughlin	
Brundage	Fleshiem	Mears	
Burt	Fox	Morrow	
Champion	French	Pierce	
Clapp	Garvelink	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Jewell	Weiss	24

NAYS. 0

On motion of Mr. Fox,

The executive session closed, the time being 5:17 o'clock p. m.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, February 10, 1893.

On motion of Mr. Sabin,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 11:45 o'clock a. m.

The President announced the following

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, February 10, 1893.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Stanley E. Parkill, of Owosso, as member of the Michigan Board of Pharmacy, for the term of five years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nomination of Stanley E. Parkill, without reference to the committee on Executive

business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Brundage	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. Mears	
Burt	Fox	Mugford	
Champion	French	Pierce	
Clapp	Garvelink	Sabin	
Clark	Hopkins	Steel	
Crane	Hough	Turnbull	
Doran	Jewell	Weiss	
Earle	McLaughlin		23

NAYS. 0

On motion of Mr. Fox,
The executive session closed, the time being 12 o'clock m.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 2, 1892.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,
The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION.

The time being 5:50 o'clock p. m.
The President announced the following

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, March 1, 1893.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Mary C. Spencer, of Lansing, Ingham county, to the office of State Librarian, for the term of two years from and after the 3d day of April, 1893, to succeed Margaret Custer Calhoun, who has declined a re-appointment, as shown by enclosed copy of her letter, which explains itself.

I also nominate James A. Crozer, of Menominee, Menominee county, and Loomis K. Bishop, of Grand Rapids, Kent county, as members of the Board of Managers of the Michigan Soldiers' Home, for the term of six years from and after the 1st day of March, 1893.

I also nominate Alfred J. Mills, of Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo county, and William M. Robinson, of Grand Rapids, Kent county, as trustees of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, for the term of six years from and after the second Tuesday in February, 1893.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The following is the communication referred to in the message from the Governor:

MICHIGAN STATE LIBRARY,
Lansing, February 28, 1893.

Hon. John T. Rich, Governor, Lansing, Mich.:

MY DEAR SIR—Having, at your request, taken this long to carefully consider the question of retaining my present official position, I now wish to present my final and original decision. Permit me to say that in your gracious tender of a re-appointment to the office of State Librarian, I recognize and deeply appreciate your desire to place the library upon a non-partisan basis; also the honor conferred upon myself, as well as the silent tribute paid to the memory of the heroes whose names I bear, but in accepting my appointment I reluctantly laid aside my chosen profession, that of dramatic reading, and my two years' experience in library work has convinced me that that the advantages and opportunities conducive to a useful and satisfactory life are greater for me in the field which I temporarily relinquished than in the official position I now hold, and for this reason I beg to decline the honor of a re-appointment. Sincerely thanking you, I am

Very respectfully,
MARGARET CUSTER CALHOUN.

On motion of Mr. Weiss,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nominations by the Governor, in gross, without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford
Burt	Gilbert	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce
Clark	Hough	Sabin
Crane	Jewell	Sawyer
Doran	McGinley	Steel
Earle	McLaughlin	Turnbull
Flesheim	Mears	Weiss
Fox	Mellen	

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NAYS. 0

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The executive session closed, the time being 6 o'clock p. m.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, March 15, 1893.

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,
The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 5:10 o'clock p. m.
The President announced the following

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, March 13, 1893.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Theron F. Giddings, of Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo county, to the office of Commissioner of Insurance, for the term of two years from and after the 1st day of July, 1893.

I also nominate Horace W. Davis, of Grand Rapids, Kent county, as member of the State Board of Fish Commissioners, for the term of six years from and after the first day of January, 1893.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,
The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nominations of Theron F. Giddings to be Commissioner of Insurance, and Horace W. Davis to be member of the State Board of Fish Commissioners, without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fox	Mr. McGinley
Brundage	French	Mears
Burt	Garvelink	Mellen
Champion	Gibson	Morrow
Clapp	Gilbert	Pascoe
Clark	Hopkins	Pierce
Crane	Hough	Sabin
Doran	Jewell	Weiss
Fleshiem		25

NAYS. 0

On motion of Mr. Mears,
The executive session closed, the time being 5:15 o'clock p. m.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, April 7, 1893.

On motion of Mr.
The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 2:25 o'clock p. m.

The President announced the following

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, April 7, 1893.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate John Northwood, of New Lothrop, Saginaw county, as member of the Board of Managers of the Michigan Soldiers' Home, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Benjamin F. Graves, whose term of office would have expired March 1, 1895.

I also nominate Ferdinand W. Marschner, Miles E. Judd and Edwin L. Thompson, of Detroit, and Henry Loss, of Wayne, as members of the Board of Jury Commissioners for Wayne county, for the term of six years from and after the first day of April, 1893.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Steel,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nominations without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen	
Brundage	Garvelink	Morrow	
Burt	Gibson	Mugford	
Champion	Gilbert	Pascoe	
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce	
Clark	Hough	Sabin	
Crane	Jewell	Steel	
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox			28

NAYS. 0

On motion of Mr. Pascoe,

The executive session closed, the time being 2:30 o'clock p. m.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, April 13, 1893.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 2:45 o'clock, p. m.

The President announced the following

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, April 13, 1893.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Charles H. Morse, of Gratiot county, P. O. Carson City, to the office of Commissioner of Labor, for the term of two years from and after the 1st day of March, 1893.

I also nominate Jay A. Aubbell, of Houghton, Houghton county, and Thomas B. Dunstan, of Hancock, Houghton county, as members of the Board of Control of the Michigan Mining School, for the term of six years from and after the 9th day of June, 1893.

I also nominate Russell A. Alger, of Detroit, Wayne county; F. Hart Smith, of Somerset, Hillsdale county; Harry A. Conant, of Monroe, Monroe county; Charles C. Ellsworth, of Greenville, Montcalm county; Guy M. Trowbridge, of Pontiac, Oakland county, and John Duncan, of Calumet, Houghton county, as members of the Board of Control of Railroads, for the term of four years from and after the 23d day of February, 1893.

I also nominate Aaron T. Bliss, of Saginaw, Saginaw county, as agent to receipt for moneys appropriated by Congress for aid of Soldiers' Home, for the term of two years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Garvelink,

The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nominations without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mellen
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford
Burt	Gibson	Pascoe
Champion	Hopkins	Pierce
Clapp	Jewell	Sabin
Clark	McGinley	Sawyer
Crane	McLaughlin	Steel
Earle	Mears	Turnbull
Fox		25

NAYS. 0

On motion of Mr. Mears,

The executive session closed, the time being 2:50 o'clock p. m.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 2:15 o'clock p. m.
The President announced the following

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, April 14, 1893.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Neil McMillan, of Rockford, Kent county, as State Oil Inspector, for the term of two years from the first day of July.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

On motion of Mr. Barnard,
The Senate advised and consented to the foregoing nomination, without reference to the committee on executive business, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Fleshiem	Mr. McLaughlin
Brundage	Fox	Mears
Burt	Garvelink	Morrow
Champion	Gibson	Pascoe
Clapp	Hopkins	Pierce
Clark	Hough	Sawyer
Crane	Jewell	Steel
Doran	McGinley	Turnbull
Earle		25

NAYS. 0

On motion of Mr. Crane,
The executive session closed, the time being 2:40 o'clock p. m.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

On motion of Mr. Steel,
The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 2:10 o'clock p. m.
The question being on the motion to reconsider the vote by which the resolution regarding extra compensation to certain employés was adopted,
The vote was reconsidered.
The question then being on the adoption of the resolution as substituted,
Mr. Morrow moved that all speeches in the executive session be limited to three minutes each,

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Barnard offered the following substitute to the pending resolution:

Resolved, That no further extra compensation be paid to officers and employés of the Senate.

On which Mr. Clapp demanded the yeas and nays.

The substitute was then agreed to, a majority of the Senators present voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Mears	
Clapp	Garvelink	Pierce	
Crane	Gibson	Sabin	
Earle	Hopkins	Steel	
Fox	Jewell		14

NAYS.

Mr. Champion	Mr. McGinley	Mr. Turnbull	
Doran	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Hough	Morrow	Wilkins	9

The resolution as substituted was then adopted.

On motion of Mr. Pierce,

The executive session closed, the time being 2:45 o'clock p. m.

SENATE CHAMBER,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

On motion of Mr. Barnard,

The Senate went into

EXECUTIVE SESSION,

The time being 3:35 o'clock p. m.

The president announced the following

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, MICHIGAN,
Lansing, May 26, 1893.

To the Senate:

I hereby nominate Theodore C. Sherwood, of Plymouth, Wayne county, as Commissioner of State Banking Department, for the term of four years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate Samuel G. Milner, of Grand Rapids, Kent county, and George H. Granger, of Bay City, Bay county, as members State Board of Health, for the term of six years from and after the 31st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate Jonathan J. Woodman, of Paw Paw, VanBuren county, as member Live Stock Sanitary Commission, for the term of six years from and after the second Tuesday in July, 1893.

I also nominate Lorin Roberts, of Traverse City, Grand Traverse county, and William A. French, of Bell, Presque Isle county, as trustees Northern Michigan Asylum, for the term of six years from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate as members Railroad and Street Crossing Board, Milo D. Campbell, of Coldwater, Branch county, for the term of two years, and Albert L. Stephens, of Detroit, Wayne county, for the term of four years, each from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate as members Board of Control of State Prison, Orlando M. Barnes, of Lansing, Ingham county, for the term of two years; Albert Stiles, of Jackson, Jackson county, for the term of four years, and William H. Elliott, of Detroit, Wayne county, for the term of six years, each from and after the 15th day of February, 1893.

I also nominate as members Board of Control State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, Alexander F. Kelsey, of Ionia, Ionia county, for the term of two years; Jerome Croul, of Detroit, Wayne county, for the term of four years, and Louis Kanitz, of Muskegon, Muskegon county, for the term of six years, each from and after the 15th day of February, 1893.

I also nominate as members Board of Control State House of Correction and Branch of State Prison at Marquette, Warren F. N. Davis, of Menominee, Menominee county, for the term of two years; James M. Wilkinson, of Marquette, Marquette county, for the term of four years, and Richard M. Hoar, of Houghton, Houghton county, for the term of six years, each from and after the 15th day of February, 1893.

I also nominate as members Board of Trustees Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane, Edwy C. Reid, of Allegan, Allegan county, for the term of two years; Coleman C. Vaughan, of St. Johns, Clinton county, for the term of four years, and William H. Mattison, of Ionia, Ionia county, for the term of six years, each from and after the 1st day of February, 1893.

I also nominate as trustees Industrial School for Boys, Harvey B. Rowlson, of Hillsdale, Hillsdale county, for the term of two years; William Donovan, of Lansing, Ingham county, for the term of four years, and Ira T. Sayres, of Flushing, Genesee county, for the term of six years each from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate as guardians for the State Industrial Home for Girls, George Spalding, of Monroe, Monroe county, for the term of two years; Allaseba M. Bliss, of Saginaw, Saginaw county, for the term of four years, and David Metcalf, of Adrian, Lenawee county, for the term of six years, each from and after the 1st day of June, 1893.

I also nominate as members Board of Control State Public School, Byron M. Spofford, of Coldwater, Branch county, for the term of six years; Thomas Mars, of Berrien Center, Berrien county, for the term of four years, and Isaac A. Fancher, of Mt. Pleasant, Isabella county, for the term of two years, each from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate as members Board of Control Michigan School for the Blind, Theodorus W. Crissey, of Midland, Midland county, for the term of two years; Charles Montague, of Caro, Tuscola county, for the term of four years, and G. Willis Bement, of Lansing, Ingham county, for the term of six years, each from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

I also nominate as members Board of Control Michigan School for the Deaf, Charles S. Brown, of Flint, Genesee county, for the term of two years; James A. Trotter, of Vassar, Tuscola county, for the term of four years, and Clark B. Turner of Pontiac, Oakland county, for the term of six years, each from and after the 1st day of January, 1893.

Very respectfully,

JOHN T. RICH, *Governor.*

The Senate then confirmed the foregoing nominations, a majority of all the Senators elect voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

YEAS.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. French	Mr. Morrow	
Brundage	Garvelink	Mugford	
Champion	Gibson	Pierce	
Clapp	Hopkins	Sabin	
Crane	Hough	Steel	
Doran	Jewell	Turnbull	
Earle	McLaughlin	Weiss	
Fox	Mears	Wilkins	24

NAYS. 0

On motion of Mr. Pierce,
The executive session closed, the time being 3:40 o'clock p. m.

SENATE CHAMBER, }
Lansing, May 27, 1893. }

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct Journal of the proceedings of the Senate, and of the Senate in Executive Session, of the Legislature of the State of Michigan, for the regular biennial session of the year 1893.

DENNIS E. ALWALD,
Secretary of the Senate.

ERRATA.

Corrections are made upon the authority of the records kept by the bill clerk, under the secretary's supervision:

Page 456. Line 4, correct number of bill is 81.
Page 628. Strike out lines 6 and 7.
Page 636. In third line under "Proceedings under the call," should be "Mr. Turnbull," instead of "Mr. Morrison."
Page 944. In line 9, should read "Senate bill No. 156," etc.
Page 951. In next to last line, should read "Senate joint resolution," etc.
Page 993. After motion of Mr. Burt to amend H. B. No. 879, insert the following: "Which motion prevailed, and the bill was so amended."
Page 1137. In report of committee on finance and appropriations, the numbers are transposed; should read: "House bill No. 132 (file No. 243), entitled"
Page 1269. Near middle of page, should read "House bill No. 501 (file No. 296) entitled," instead of "Senate," etc.
Page 1307. In line 6, the numbers are transposed; should read: "Senate bill No. 37 (file No. 109), entitled."
Page 1345. In second line after the roll call, instead of the word "bill," read "title."
Page 1492. After motion of Mr. Doran to amend the title, read "which motion prevailed and the title as amended was agreed to."
Page 1500. Under heading "Third reading of bills," should read "House bill No. 546 (file No. 239), entitled," instead of "Senate," etc.
Page 1501. In two places under "Special Order," should read "House bill," etc., instead of "Senate."
Page 1510. Read "House bill No. 488," etc., instead of "Senate."
Page 1511. Read "House bill No. 362," etc., instead of "Senate."
Read "House bill No. 893," etc., instead of "Senate."
Page 1547. Read "House bill No. 454," etc., instead of "Senate."
Page 1548. After line two read "which resolution was adopted."
Page 1572. Read "House bill No. 255," etc., instead of "Senate."
Page 1579. Strike out line 18, viz.: "which motion prevailed."
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"J. WIGHT GIDDINGS,
"*President of the Senate and chairman of the committee.*

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3. A bill to repeal all of act No. 186 of the public acts of 1891, being an act relative to authorizing cities and villages of this State to provide for the lighting of their streets and other public places therein by means of electric or other lights:
   introduced by Mr. Clapp; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages January 10 56
   file No. 1.
4. A bill to prohibit the issuing to or receiving or using by any member of the legislature of any pass, mileage book or free transportation of any kind on any railroad in this State:
   introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on railroads January 10 59
   reported; tabled February 7 227
   taken up; general order February 8 250
   file No. 49.
   committee of whole; amended; third reading February 15 327
   not passed; reconsidered; tabled February 16 342
   taken up; made special order March 15 676
   taken up; not passed; March 28 828
5. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Michigan," the same being act No. 134 of the public acts of 1885:
   introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on public health January 10 60
6. A bill to provide for the incorporation of the senate and local clubs of the Happy Home clubs of America:
   introduced by Mr. Turnbull; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies January 11 69
   ordered printed for use of committee January 13 83
   file No. 3.
   reported; general order April 5 870
   committee of whole; amended; third reading April 5 877
   passed; immediate effect; transmitted Apr. 6 887
   returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 11 1196
   reported enrolled May 12 1230
   approved May 19 1340
7. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 221 of the public acts of 1861, the same being compiler's section 8662 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882:
   introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on judiciary January 11 69
   reported; general order January 17 95
   committee of whole; third reading January 17 101
   passed; title amended as follows: By inserting after the figures "1861," the following: "Entitled 'An act giving to circuit courts jurisdiction by information in the nature of quo warranto in certain cases,' approved March 15, 1861;" immediate effect; transmitted January 18 115
   returned; referred for enrollment January 19 142
   reported enrolled January 31 178
   approved February 1 178
8. A bill to legalize and make valid certain township bonds issued by the township of Pickford in the county of Chippewa, on the 22d day of October, A. D. 1889:
   introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on counties and townships January 11 69
   reported; general order February 1 175
   file No. 22.
   committee of whole; amended; third reading February 7 235
   passed; transmitted February 8 254
   returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment March 24 816
   reported enrolled March 28 824
   approved March 30 864
9. A bill to authorize railroad companies whose roads are situate in the upper peninsula to lease, sell or convey their property and franchises to any other railroad company, and to lease and purchase the property and franchises of other companies:

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introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on railroads January 11 ... 69
reported; substituted; ordered printed for use of committee February 1 ... 177
file No. 26.
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 10, public acts of 1889, entitled "An act to authorize a railroad company to sell and convey its property and franchises to any other railroad, and to provide for securing payment therefor," approved February 27, 1889; agreed to; general order March 2 ... 574
committee of whole; third reading March 8 ... 637
amended; passed; immediate effect March 8 ... 648
reconsidered; tabled March 9 ... 654
taken up; general order March 15 ... 690
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 23 ... 792
passed ... 810
reconsidered and tabled March 24 ... 812
taken from table; passed; transmitted April 11 ... 914
returned; substitute entitled: A bill to authorize any railroad company now organized or that may hereafter be organized under the laws of this State, to sell, lease and convey its property and franchises to any other railroad company whether organized within or without this this State, and to provide for securing payment therefor; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 19 ... 1344
reported enrolled May 22 ... 1393
approved May 25 ... 1526

10. A bill to compel the use of safety valves on cylinders, drums or other vessels, etc., containing and confining carbonic acid gas, nitrous oxide gas, and like aeriform substances:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on State affairs January 11 ... 69
ordered printed for committee March 15 ... 681
file No. 149.
reported; general order April 18 ... 964
committee of whole; third reading April 20 ... 1007
amended; passed; transmitted April 21 ... 1017

11. A bill making an appropriation for the purchase of books for the State library for the years 1893 and 1894:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on State library January 12 ... 80
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations, February 3 ... 210
reported with amendments; tabled February 8 ... 244
taken up; amendments concurred in; general order March 16 ... 716
file No. 162.
committee of whole; third reading March 23 ... 792
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 23 ... 800
requested from House, April 13 ... 933
returned; tabled April 17 ... 959
taken up; referred to committee on judiciary May 18 ...

12. A bill to amend section 29 of chapter 12 of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled "Of certain State officers," the same being compiler's section 287 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on judiciary January 12 ... 80
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 24 ... 452

13. A bill to amend section 2 of act 379 of the local acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation and to prescribe the duties of certain officers of the county of Kent," approved June 26, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Doran; referred to committee on judiciary January 12 ... 80
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted January 13 ... 82

14. A bill to revise and amend section 114 and sections 115 and 116, as amended by act No. 1 of the public acts of 1889, approved January 11, 1889, the same being sections 83, 84 and 85 of chapter 6 of the compiled laws of 1871.

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and consecutive sections 240, 241 and 242 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to electors of president and vice president of the United States:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on elections January 12 80
file No. 2.
reported; general order April 20 998
committee of whole; third reading April 21 1025
passed; transmitted April 27 1062
returned; referred for enrollment May 24 1479
reported enrolled May 25 1529
approved May 29 1612

15. A bill to repeal act No. 164, session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to amend section 2 of act No. 18 of public acts of 1869, entitled 'An act to provide for paying expenses authorized to be incurred by the legislature,' approved February 24, 1869, the same being section 67 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:"
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on State affairs January 12 80
reported; tabled January 19 136

16. A bill to tax legacies and inheritances:
introduced by Mr. Doran; referred to committee on judiciary January 13 87

17. A bill to amend section 20 of chapter 50 of Howell's annotated statutes for the year 1892, relating to the State public school, being compiler's section 1980 and sections 11, 14, 15 and 18 of chapter 50 of Howell's annotated statutes for the year 1890, relating to the State Public School, being compiler's sections 1972, 1975, 1976 and 1978:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; ordered printed and referred to committee on State Public School January 13 87
file No. 4.

18. A bill to amend section No. 3 of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Pewamo," approved April 13, 1871:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on cities and villages January 13 87
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted January 17 94
ordered printed by House January 31 .....
file No. 16.
returned; referred for enrollment February 7 236
reported enrolled February 8 245
approved February 9 259

19. A bill to provide for the appointment of an assistant prosecuting attorney for St. Clair county, and to prescribe his duties and fix his compensation:
introduced by Mr. French; referred to committee on judiciary January 13 88
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted January 17 94
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment February 7 .. 237
reported enrolled February 8 245
approved February 16 330

20. A bill to amend section 10 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and deception at elections in this State," approved July 3, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on judiciary January 13 88
reported; referred to committee on elections January 19 134
ordered printed for committee January 20 146
file number 13.
reported; general order March 1 537
committee of whole; tabled March 9 656

21. A bill to amend sections 2 and 5 of act No. 71 of the public acts of 1891, being "An act to provide for the inspection of illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils," and to repeal act No. 181 of the session laws of 1875, approved May 1, 1875, and act No. 196 of the session laws of 1877, approved May 22, 1877:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on State affairs January 13 88

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22. A bill to provide for the compensation and to prescribe the duties of certain officers of the county of Saginaw:
introduced by Mr. Burt; referred to committee on counties and townships January 13 ... 88
reported; rules suspended; passed; transmitted February 8 ... 243
returned; amended; pending concurrence, tabled March 8 ... 641
taken up; concurred in; effect January 1, 1895; referred for enrollment March 14 ... 672
reported enrolled March 16 ... 710
approved March 16 ... 712

23. A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for a central board of control which shall have management and control of the State Public School, at Coldwater, the Michigan School for the Blind, at Lansing, and the Michigan School for the Deaf, at Flint, to prescribe the powers of said board, to abolish the present boards of said institutions, and to repeal all laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved June 26, 1891; to subject said institutions to the provisions of chapters 44, 45 and 50 of Howell's annotated statutes, and the acts amendatory thereof, respectively; to declare vacant the memberships of the boards of control of said institutions, and to provide for the appointment of boards of control for the same:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on judiciary January 16 92
reported; indefinitely postponed January 19 ... 135

24. A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide a State board of inspectors who shall perform the duties now performed by the advisory board in the matter of pardons, and who shall have the complete management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia, the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform School for Boys at Lansing, and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to abolish all existing boards and to annul all existing appointments," approved June 17, 1891; to subject said advisory board and said institutions again to the laws applicable thereto, to declare vacant the membership of said advisory board and of the boards of control of said institutions and to provide for the appointment of boards of control for the same and said advisory board:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on judiciary January 16 92
reported; indefinitely postponed January 19 ... 135

25. A bill to amend chapter 13 of Howell's annotated statutes for the year 1882, entitled "State institutions and regulations relating thereto," by adding three new sections thereto which shall be known as sections 10, 11 and 12, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on judiciary January 16 93

26. A bill to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison, to the State House of Correction, and branch of the State Prison in the upper peninsula, and to the House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on House of Correction at Marquette and State Prison, jointly, January 17 ... 100
ordered printed for committee April 12 ... 922
file No. 209.
reported; general order May 4 ... 1116
committee of whole; made special order May 9 ... 1156
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 16 ... 1255
amended; passed; tabled May 17 ... 1287-92
taken up; immediate effect; transmitted May 18 ... 1317
returned; referred for enrollment May 23 ... 1435
reported enrolled May 25 ... 1528
approved May 29 ... 1612

27. A bill to amend section 261, Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the appointment of a private secretary and executive clerk to the Governor:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on State affairs January 17 ... 100

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reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; effect July 1, 1893; transmitted May 16 ... 1266
returned; referred for enrollment May 25 ... 1521
reported enrolled May 26 ... 1554

28. A bill to provide for the incorporation of supreme and subordinate lodges of the United Home Protectors' Fraternity, a co-operative, social, beneficial and fraternal society or order:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on insurance January 17 ... 100
reported; general order February 7 ... 228
file No. 33.
committee of whole; tabled March 7 ... 622
taken up; referred to committee on judiciary March 15 ... 691
reported; amended; general order March 22 ... 760
committee of whole; third reading March 28 ... 831
tabled March 28 ... 837
taken up; general order March 30 ... 866
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 30 ... 867
tabled April 5 ... 876
taken up; passed; title amended to read: A bill to provide for the incorporation of supreme, grand and subordinate lodges of the United Home Protectors' Fraternity, a co-operative, fraternal building and loan society or order; transmitted April 6 ... 885
returned; referred for enrollment May 11 ... 1195
reported enrolled May 12 ... 1230
approved May 13 ... 1240

29. A bill relative to the salary of the judge of probate of the county of Wayne:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on judiciary January 17 ... 100
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 1 ... 175
returned; referred for enrollment February 7 ... 236
reported enrolled February 8 ... 245
approved February 9 ... 259

30. A bill to authorize and for the purchase of a tract of land to be used in connection with the asylum for the insane for the county of Wayne:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on judiciary January 17 ... 100
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted January 20 ... 145
returned; referred for enrollment February 20 ... 370
reported enrolled February 21 ... 415
approved February 24 ... 453

31. A bill to provide for a commission to locate and mark the positions and places occupied by Michigan regiments and batteries who fought upon the battle fields of Chickamaugua, Chattanooga and Mission Ridge, and to make an appropriation to defray the expense of the same:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on military affairs January 18 ... 113
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 10 ... 271
reported; substituted; title same; general order March 23 ... 778
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 28 ... 832
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 29 ... 850
returned; amended; coucurred in; referred for enrollment April 28 ... 1080
reported enrolled May 3 ... 1114
approved May 5 ... 1132

32. A bill to regulate the interest, discount or consideration upon the loan or forbearance of money, money due on account, judgments, verdicts, decrees, goods, rights and choses in action, and to provide a remedy for the recovery of any property usuriously taken, and for the punishment for the taking of usury.
introduced by Mr. McGinley; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary January 18 ... 113
file No. 5.
reported; general order February 14 ... 286

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committee of whole; tabled March 7 ... 621
taken up; general order April 26 ... 1048
committee of whole; all after enacting clause stricken out; tabled May 9 ... 1157
33. A bill to amend sections 14 and 15 of act No. 59 of the laws of 1851, relative to the incorporated telegraph companies, being sections 3706 and 3707 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1883.
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on banks and corporations January 18 ... 114
file No. 6.
reported; amended; general order March 22 ... 763
committee of whole; third reading April 18 ... 969
passed; title amended to read: A bill to amend sections 14 and 15 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of telegraph companies" being act No. 59 of the laws of 1851, approved March 26, 1851, being sections 3706 and 3707 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1883; transmitted April 19 ... 984
concurred in; immediate effect; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1581
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1607
34. A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled an act supplementary to an act entitled "An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein," approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's section 9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto, to stand as section 7 of said act, in place of section 7 which was repealed by act 67, approved May 10, 1879.
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; ordered printed and referred to committee on labor interests January 18 ... 114
file No. 7.
reported; amended; general order April 6 ... 883
committee of whole; third reading April 18 ... 969
tabled April 24 ... 1028
taken up; made special order for May 3, April 27 ... 1062
special order postponed until May 9, May 3 ... 1111
postponed until May 11, May 9 ... 1155
passed; title amended to read: A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act supplementary to an act entitled 'An act to establish the Detroit House of Correction, and to authorize the confinement of convicted persons therein, approved March 27, 1867, being compiler's sec-9867 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add two new sections thereto to stand as sections 7 and 8 of said act;' " transmitted May 11 ... 1208
returned; referred for enrollment May 13 ... 1241
reported enrolled May 16 ... 1255
approved May 22 ... 1394
35. A bill to repeal all of act No. 172 of the public acts of 1889, being compiler's section 9881c, Howell's annotated statutes, entitled "An act relative to the confinement in this State of persons committed or sentenced by the courts of the United States or of the territories."
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; ordered printed and referred to committee on labor interests ... 114
file No. 8.
reported; general order March 23 ... 779
committee of whole; third reading March 30 ... 886
passed; transmitted April 5 ... 875
returned; referred for enrollment April 13 ... 941
reported enrolled April 14 ... 946
approved April 19 ... 973
36. A bill to authorize the township of Grant, in the county of Iosco, Michigan, to borrow money upon its bonds to pay a judgment entered on its bonds issued for the Tawas and Grant plank road:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on counties and townships January 18 ... 114
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 1 ... 174
returned; referred for enrollment February 15 ... 321
reported enrolled February 16 ... 328
approved February 17 ... 349

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37. A bill to amend recited section 48 of act No. 150 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,'" approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, and to add two new sections to said act to stand as sections 47 and 48:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on railroads January 18 114
ordered printed for committee March 1 535
file No. 109.
reported; general order May 17 1307
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1456

38. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 156 of session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to regulate interest of money on account, interest on money judgments, verdicts, etc.," approved June 24, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on judiciary January 18 115
ordered printed for committee February 21 175
file No. 24.
reported; general order March 2 571
committee of whole; tabled March 7 622
motion to take from table lost March 8 633

39. A bill to provide for the incorporation of companies to issue abstracts, certificates and guarantees of title, and to define their powers and duties:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; ordered printed and referred to committee on banks and corporations January 19 139
file No. 9.
reported substitute having same title; general order April 21 1009
file No. 223.
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1505

40. A bill making an appropriation for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; ordered printed and referred to committee on University January 19 139
file No. 10.
reported; amended; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 23 779
reported; substitute entitled: A bill making the mill tax available for the use and maintenance of the University of Michigan for the year 1893 and every year thereafter; concurred in; general order May 3 1098
committee of whole; third reading May 3 1111
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 3 1112
returned; referred for enrollment May 4 1121
reported enrolled May 4 1125
approved May 5 1132

41. A bill to repeal sections 1, 2 and 4 of statistics of annual cereal products of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Garvelink; referred to committee on agricultural interests January 19 139
reported; general order February 7 228
file No. 34.
committee of whole; referred to committee on judiciary February 10 277

42. A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and settings, for a water tower, for electric lighting, for new engines and setting, and for a physician's cottage at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, at Kalamazoo:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; ordered printed and referred to committee on asylums for the insane January 19 139
file No. 11.
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 7 228
reported; amended; general order March 29 843
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 30 866
passed; title amended to read: A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new

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boiler and settings, for a water tower and for new engines and settings at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo:
immediate effect; transmitted April 5 874
returned; amended; pending concurrence, referred to committe on asylums for the insane April 21 1015
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 25. 1034
reported; House amendments non-concurred in; reconsidered; tabled May 5 1129
taken up; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 11 1200
reported enrolled May 12 1235
requested from Governor May 17 1309
returned; tabled May 19 1340

43. A bill to authorize the incorporation of associations and companies for the purpose of engaging in the business of conveying passengers, mails, merchandise and baggage with carriages, hacks, 'busses, wagons, sleighs and other vehicles over any defined route or routes, or within the corporate limits of any city or village within this State, and for the general transportation and transfer of passengers, merchandise and baggage by hack, 'bus, transfer and baggage companies:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; ordered printed and referred to committee on State affairs January 19 140
file No. 12.

44. A bill to provide for the incorporation of the supreme commandery and subordinate commanderies of the united friends of Michigan:
introdnced by Mr. Doran; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies January 20 160
ordered printed for committee February 1 174
file No. 23.
reported; general order March 24 808
committee of whole; referred to committee on public health March 28 .. 832
reported; amended; general order March 29 844
committee of whole; third reading March 30 866
tabled April 5 873
taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted April 6 885
returned; referred for enrollment April 20 998
reported enrolled April 25 1035
approved April 27 1059

45. A bill to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24, 1869, as amended by act numbered 350 of the acts of 1891, and to repeal section 15 of said act, approved February 24, 1869:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages January 20 160
file No. 14.
reported; general order May 3 1100
committee of whole; third reading May 15 1251
passed; title amended to read: A bill to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24, 1869, as amended by act number 397 of the acts of 1891, to repeal section 15 of said act, approved February 24, 1869, and to add one new section to said act to stand as section 26; immediate effect; transmitted May 16 1256
returned; referred for enrollment May 17 1296
reported enrolled May 18 1329
approved May 24 1477

46. A bill to amend section 56 of act No. 153 of the session laws of 1891, being an act entitled "An act to amend chapter 93 of the revised statutes of 1846, of courts held by justices of the peace," the same being compiler's section 6869 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary January 20 160
reported; general order February 24 450
file No. 98.
committee of whole; tabled March 7 622

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47. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 137 of the session laws of 1849, being an act entitled "An act to authorize proceedings against garnishees and for other purposes," being compiler's section 8032 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary January 20 ... 160
reported; tabled February 24 ... 451

48. A bill to amend section 23 of act No. 103 of the public acts of 1879, entitled "An act to amend sections 23, 42 and 46 of act No. 194 of the session laws of 1877, being 'An act to provide for the organization, regulation and management of the asylums for the insane, and effectually to provide for the care, maintenance and recovery of the insane,' " approved May 22, 1877:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on asylums for the insane January 20 ... 160
reported; general order February 8 ... 244
file No. 51.
committee of whole; third reading February 15 ... 326
passed; transmitted February 16 ... 341

49. A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 166 of the revised statutes of 1846, the same being compiler's section 9577, of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan for 1882, relative to new trials and exceptions in criminal cases, and to add a new section to said chapter to stand thereto as section 8:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary January 30 ... 162
reported; amended; general order March 14 ... 669
file No. 144.
committee of whole; third reading March 22 ... 771
tabled March 23 ... 791
taken up; recommitted March 29 ... 852
reported; amended; general order March 30 ... 862
committee of whole; all after enacting clause stricken out; tabled March 30 ... 867

50. A bill to authorize the cities and townships of this State to acquire by purchase or condemnation all the rights of toll and plank road companies in the streets and highways of such cities and townships, and to authorize such toll or plank road companies to sell such portions of their roads or franchises as lie within such cities and townships, to the cities or townships in which the same may be located:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on state affairs, January 31 ... 170
ordered printed for committee February 2 ... 196
file No. 30.
reported; general order February 8 ... 245
committee of whole; third reading February 9 ... 266
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 10 ... 276
returned amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment March 28 ... 835
reported enrolled March 29 ... 855
approved March 29 ... 856

51. A bill making an appropriation for the current expenses of the Michigan Soldiers' Home for the years 1893 and 1894:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on Soldiers' Home January 31 ... 170
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 9 ... 256
reported; general order February 15 ... 312
file No. 71.
committee of whole; third reading February 24 ... 456
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 25 ... 463
returned; referred for enrollment March 6 ... 606
reported enrolled March 9 ... 659
approved March 13 ... 663

52. A bill to provide separate grades for railroads and public highways and streets where railroads intersect such highways or streets:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; ordered printed and referred to com-

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mittees on cities and villages and railroads, jointly January 31 170
file No. 15.
proposed substitute ordered printed March 21 751
file No. 169.
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to provide separate grades for railroads and public highways and streets where railroads intersect such highways and streets; agreed to; general order April 7 895
committee of whole; amended; third reading April 12 929
passed; transmitted April 13 939
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 10 1162
reported enrolled May 12 1230
approved May 22 1394

53. A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland lakes of this State," approved June 24, 1891, and to further regulate fishing in the streams of this State:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on State affairs January 31 170
ordered printed for committee February 2 195
file No. 29.
reported; referred to committee on fisheries March 16 708

54. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 154, public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to amend section 10 of chapter 342 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended by act No. 172 of the session laws of 1885, relative to the Reform School:"
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on Reform School January 31 171
file No. 25.
reported; general order February 1 176
committee of whole; recommitted February 7 235
reported; general order February 16 330
committee of whole; third reading February 16 344
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 17 361
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment March 17 729
reported enrolled March 20 745
requested by House and requested from Governor March 28 835
returned from Governor; vote concurring in House amendments reconsidered; retransmitted March 28 837
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment April 6 892
requested by House, and committee asked to report back to Senate April 10 904
reported and retransmitted to House April 11 914
returned; amended and title amended; pending concurrence, referred to committee on Reform School April 21 1022
reported; tabled May 19 1351
taken up; House amendments non-concurred; retransmitted May 19 1375
returned; House insists and asks for conference; granted; retransmitted May 22 1395
returned; adoption of report of conference committee concurred in; referred for enrollment May 24 1462
reported enrolled May 25 1529
approved May 29 1613

55. A bill to establish the central Michigan normal school and business institute at Mount Pleasant, Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on State Normal School January 31 171
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to establish the central Michigan State normal school at Mt. Pleasant, Michigan, and to make an appropriation therefor; agreed to; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 28 1080
reported; re-referred to committee on State Normal School April 28 1086
reported; re referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 12 1235
reported; general order May 17 1302
committee of whole; substitute entitled: A bill to provide for the location and establishment of a normal school in the lower peninsula at some point north of town No. 13 north in the State of Michigan, and for the appointment of commissioners for the locating and establish-

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ment of the same, and to make an appropriation therefor; agreed to; third reading May 23 ... 1441
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 24 ... 1465
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1610

56. A bill to amend sections 1, 3, 7, 14, 16, 17, 23, 26, 32, 36, 43 and 44 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and (deception) deceptions at elections in this State:"
introduced by Mr. Clark; referred to committee on elections February 1 183
motion to instruct committee defeated March 7 ... 620
ordered printed for committee March 9 ... 657
file No. 135.
motion to discharge committee lost May 5 ... 1135
reported; general order May 9 ... 1140
committee of whole; third reading May 20 ... 1381
rules suspended; recommitted May 25 ... 1504
reported; rules suspended; passed; transmitted May 25 ... 1548
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1599
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1606

57. A bill to provide for a chaplain at the Michigan Soldier's Home, to fix his salary and to define his duties:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committe on Soldiers' Home February 1 ... 183

58. A bill to amend section 8 of act No. 152 of the session laws of 1885, being "An act to authorize the establishment of a home for disabled soldiers, sailors and marines in the State of Michigan," approved June 5, 1885, and being consecutive section No. 1984*h* of volume 3, Howell's annotated statutes of this State:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on public buildings February 1 ... 183

59. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 145 of the laws of Michigan of the year 1891, entitled "An act authorizing the board of managers of the Michigan Soldiers' Home to sell certain real estate now belonging to the State of Michigan, and to apply the proceeds of such sale to the improvement of grounds and buildings of that institution," approved June 19, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on Soldiers' Home February 1 ... 183
reported; general order February 9 ... 257
file No. 55.
committee of whole; third reading February 15 ... 326
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 16 ... 341
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1609

60. A bill to amend act No. 249 of the session laws of 1889, entitled "An act relating to the admission of insane members of the Michigan Soldiers' Home to the insane asylums of this State, and to their support at such asylums," approved July 3, 1890:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on Soldiers' Home February 1 ... 184
reported; general order February 9 ... 257
file No. 56.
committee of whole; third reading February 15 ... 326
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 16 ... 341
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1608

61. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by striking out and repealing chapters 2 and 3, and substituting in place thereof a chapter to stand as chapter 2 of said act:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 1 ... 184
file No. 17.
reported; substitute having same title; rules suspended; tabled May 24. 1469

62. A bill in regard to the acknowledgments of deeds, mortgages and other instruments required by law to be acknowledged by the party executing the same:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on judiciary February 1. 184

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63. A bill in relation to the contracts of married women:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on judiciary February 1 .. 184

64. A bill to provide for the revision of the constitution of the State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on constitutional amendments February 1 184

65. A bill to authorize certain water supply companies, now or hereafter organized, to also operate electrical plants in connection with their water works systems:
introduced by Mr. Mears; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 1 184
reported; general order February 10 270
file No. 62.
committee of whole; third reading February 16 344
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 17 361
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 16 1263
reported enrolled May 17 1281
approved May 19 1340

66. A bill to change the name of August Johnson to August Hammer, and to legalize contracts and heirships of said Johnson under the name of Hammer:
introduced by Mr. Pascoe; referred to committee on judiciary February 1 184
reported; general order February 14 286
file No. 66.
committee of whole; third reading February 24 456
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 25 463

67. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 170 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act for the more effectual prevention of cruelty to animals," approved April 25, 1877, being section 9392 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on judiciary February 1 185
reported; general order February 14 287
file No. 67.
committee of whole; tabled February 25 467
taken up; general order March 17 731
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 17 733
passed; transmitted March 17 738
returned; amended; concurred in; immediate effect; referred for enrollment April 21 1013
reported enrolled April 25 1036
approved April 27 1059

68. A bill in relation to taxable transfers of property:
introduced by Mr. Doran; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 1 185
file No. 18.
reported; general order May 3 1103
committee of whole; third reading May 16 1259
passed; transmitted May 16 1268
returned; amended; title amended to read: A bill to provide for the taxation of certain transfers of property by gift, grant, inheritance, devise or bequest; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 25 1516
reported enrolled May 26 1601

69. A bill to amend act No. 154 of the public acts of 1867, entitled "An act to authorize the organization of young men's christian associations, as amended by act No. 60 of the public acts of 1891, being chapter 177 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding a section thereto to stand as section 7 of said act:"
introduced by Mr. Doran; ordered printed and referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies February 1 185
file No. 19.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 15 314
returned; referred for enrollment February 17 350
reported enrolled February 21 415
approved February 24 453

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70. A bill to amend by adding a new section to stand as section 39, chapter 118 of the revised statutes of 1846, being compiler's chapter 282 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, entitled "The voluntary dissolution of corporations and the abatement of suits by and against them:"
introduced by Mr. Doran; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 1 ... 185
file No. 20.
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to amend chapter 118 of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled "The voluntary dissolution of corporations and of the abatement of suits by and against them," being compiler's chapter 282 of second Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, by adding a new section to said chapter 118, to stand as section 39; agreed to; general order March 15 ... 678
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 23 ... 792
passed; transmitted March 23 ... 799
returned; amended; concurred in; immediate effect; referred for enrollment April 21 ... 1010
reported enrolled April 25 ... 1036
approved April 26 ... 1047

71. A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 165 of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended, the same being compiler's section 9563 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Burt; referred to committee on judiciary February 1 ... 185
reported; amended; general order March 30 ... 860
file No. 191.
committee of whole; third reading April 11 ... 918
not passed; reconsidered; tabled April 13 ... 936
taken up; passed; transmitted April 19 ... 980

72. A bill to fix the salary of the probate judge of Bay county:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 1 ... 185
file No. 21.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 24 ... 451
returned; referred for enrollment March 15 ... 686
reported enrolled March 16 ... 710
approved March 16 ... 712

73. A bill to amend act No. 22 of the laws of 1889, entitled "An act to amend act No. 28 of the public acts of 1877, entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of assistant prosecuting attorneys for the county of Wayne,' as amended by act No. 7 of the public acts of 1883, and act No. 109 of the public acts of 1885, so as to provide for the appointment of two assistant prosecuting attorneys of said county and defining their powers and duties, by providing for the appointment of four assistant prosecuting attorneys for the county of Wayne and defining their duties and powers:"
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on judiciary February 1 ... 185
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 28 of the public acts of 1877, approved March 7, 1877, as amended, relative to the appointment of assistant prosecuting attorneys for Wayne county, being compiler's section 561 of 3 Howell's annotated statutes; agreed to; general order May 24 ... 1443
committee of whole; third reading May 24 ... 1455
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 24 ... 1490
returned; referred for enrollment May 25 ... 1520
reported enrolled May 26 ... 1602
approved May 29 ... 1612

74. A bill for an appropriation for the Northern Asylum at Traverse City to purchase additional lands and build new cottages for said asylum:
introduced by Mr. Mears; referred to committee on asylums for the insane February 2 ... 198
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 3 ... 205

75. A bill to provide for the treatment and care of inmates of the public institutions and poorhouses of this State:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on state affairs February 2 ... 198

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76. A bill to establish uniformity in the taking of depositions for use in judicial proceedings:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on judiciary February 2 ... 198
ordered printed for committee February 24 ... 450
file No. 99.
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to establish uniformity in the taking of depositions and to provide for the taking of the same in judicial proceedings; agreed to; general order May 19 ... 1367
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1505

77. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 32 of the public acts of 1873, entitled "An act to extend aid to the University of Michigan and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to extend aid to the University of Michigan,'" approved March 15, 1867, being sections 3506 and 3507 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being section 4945 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; ordered printed and referred to committee on University February 2 ... 199
file No. 27.
reported; general order February 7 ... 227
committee of whole; third reading February 16 ... 344
passed February 17 ... 359
reconsidered; table February 17 ... 365
taken up; amended; passed; transmitted March 2 ... 580
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment March 16 ... 712
reported enrolled March 22 ... 762
approved March 23 ... 788

78. A bill to authorize the city of Detroit to raise money for the purpose of enlarging and improving the public library building in said city:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 2 ... 199
file No. 28.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 2 ... 568
returned; referred for enrollment April 19 ... 975
reported enrolled April 25 ... 1035
approved April 27 ... 1059

79. A bill to provide for the organization and incorporation of companies for clearing out and improving the Ontonagon river, or any of the rivers or streams emptying into the Ontonagon river, in this State, for the purpose of driving, sorting, holding and delivering logs:
introduced by Mr. Sawyer; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 2 ... 199

80. A bill in relation to the conveyance of land by executors and administrators:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary February 2 ... 199
reported; substitute entitled: A bill authorizing probate courts in this State to order or decree a letting for a term of years, or a sale of real estate by executors, administrators or guardians; agreed to; general order March 8 ... 626
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 21 ... 756
recommitted March 22 ... 769
reported; amended; general order March 30 ... 860
committee of whole; amended; third reading April 6 ... 887
tabled April 11 ... 917
taken up; recommitted May 9 ... 1155
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to authorize and empower executors, administrators and guardians to sell real estate of deceased persons and of persons under guardianship at private sale, and to provide for the disposition and investment of the proceeds of such sale; agreed to; general order May 12 ... 1221
file No. 242.
committee of whole; third reading May 24 ... 1456
passed; transmitted May 24 ... 1498
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1610

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81. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of boards of trade and chambers of commerce," being act No. 166, approved March 19, 1863:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 3 215
reported; general order February 14 285
file No. 63.
committee of whole; third reading February 24 456
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 25 465
returned; referred for enrollment April 26 1054
reported enrolled April 28 1079
approved May 3 1105

82. A bill making appropriations for the Michigan pioneer and historical society for the years 1893 and 1894:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 3 215
reported; general order March 9 652
file No. 142.
committee of whole; third reading March 22 771
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 23 791
returned; referred for enrollment April 27 1060
reported enrolled April 28 1067
approved May 5 1132

83. A bill making appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patients' library, and for hall painting and renovating at the Eastern Michigan Asylum:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on asylums for the insane February 3 215
referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 3 216
reported; general order May 12 1224
file No. 246.
committee of whole; third reading May 16 1258
tabled May 16 1271

84. A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 7, 10, 11, 12, 14, 26, 36, 37, 38 and 43 of act No. 190 of the session laws, public acts of 1891, approved July 3, 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting, and to prevent fraud and deception at elections in this State:"
introduced by Mr. Sabin; ordered printed and referred to committee on elections February 3 215
file No. 31.

85. A bill to authorize the State Board of Agriculture to hold institutes, and to establish courses of reading and lectures for the instruction of citizens of this State in the various branches of agriculture, and making an appropriation therefor:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on State affairs February 3 215
reported; general order February 8 245
file No. 50.
committee of the whole discharged; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 15 327
reported; general order May 9 1143
committee of whole; third reading May 12 1233
passed; transmitted May 12 1236
returned amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 25 1525
reported enrolled May 26 1602

86. A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 208 of the local acts of 1891, entitled "An act to detach certain territory from the townships of Grand Rapids, Paris, Wyoming and Walker, in the county of Kent, and annex the same to the city of Grand Rapids:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on counties and townships February 3 215
reported; general order February 8 243
file No. 52.
committee of whole; recommitted February 24 456

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87. A bill to secure to women citizens who are otherwise qualified the right to vote in school, village, city and other municipal elections:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on judiciary February 3 ... 216
reported; general order February 14 ... 286
file No. 65.
committee of whole; tabled February 25 ... 467
taken up; tabled March 17 ... 720

88. A bill to amend section 11 of act No. 40 of the public acts of 1881, entitled "An act for the republication and sale of such of the reports of the supreme court of this State as are or may become out of print, and have not been stereotyped, and to repeal act No. 217 of the session laws of 1875, being an act entitled 'An act to provide for the republication and sale of such of the reports of the supreme court of this State as are or may be out of print,'" approved May 3, 1875, being section 7226 of second Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan of 1882;
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on state library February 3 ... 216
reported; general order April 20 ... 996
file No. 219.
committee of whole; third reading May 3 ... 1111
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 5 ... 1134
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1609

89. A bill making it unlawful to take fish from Diamond lake in Cass county in December, January, February, or March, and to fix a penalty therefor:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; referred to committee on state affairs February 3 ... 216
reported; referred to committee on fisheries March 16 ... 709
reported; substitute entitled: A bill making it a misdemeanor to take fish from the waters of Diamond lake in Cass county during the months of December, January, February, or March, excepting by certain prescribed means, and to prescribe penalties for the violation of this act; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; transmitted May 18 ... 1329
returned; referred for enrollment May 22 ... 1395
reported enrolled May 23 ... 1426
approved May 25 ... 1526

90. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1893, by adding a new chapter thereto:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on cities and villages February 6 ... 226

91. A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the supreme court, pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution, as amended," so as to provide for the election of five additional justices for the supreme court, and for the division of the supreme court into two sections, being sections 6382, 6384 and 6392 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 6 ... 226
file No. 32.
reported; substitute entitled: A bill being a bill to amend sections 1, 3 and 13 or an act to provide for the organization of the supreme court, approved February 16, 1857, being sections 6382, 6384 and 6394 of Howell's statutes, and to repeal section 1 of act No. 40 of the session laws of 1867, providing for the reorganization of the supreme court, being section 6401 of Howell's statutes; agreed to; general order April 20 ... 992
committee of whole; recommitted May 16 ... 1270

92. A bill to amend sections 43, 44, 45, 46, 47 and 48, title 3, chapter 6 of the compiled laws of 1871, being consecutive sections 179, 180, 181, 182, 183 and 184 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State relative to the county canvass, etc., of votes cast at general elections in this State:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on elections February 6 ... 226
reported; general order May 22 ... 1399
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1505

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93. A bill to protect toilers against unjust demands of employers of labor, to give redress to employés discharged in certain cases and to punish employers, their agents, clerks and assistants for any violation of this act:
introduced by Mr. Doran; referred to committee on labor interests February 7 ... 226
ordered printed for committee February 9 ... 258
file No. 57.
reported; amended; general order May 12 ... 1226
committee of whole; third reading May 22 ... 1397
passed; transmitted May 23 ... 1421
returned; referred for enrollment May 25 ... 1534
reported enrolled May 26 ... 1554

94. A bill to incorporate the village of Deckerville, county of Sanilac:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on cities and villages February 7 ... 230
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 15 ... 316
returned; referred for enrollment February 17 ... 349
reported enrolled February 24 ... 452
approved February 25 ... 459

95. A bill to regulate the time of transmittal, and the amount which may be charged or taken for telegraphic messages transmitted and delivered within this State, and to provide a penalty and remedy for the failure to transmit or deliver in time any such message; or for the charging or taking more than said amount for the transmission or delivery of such messages:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 7 ... 231

96. A bill to authorize the Lansing city electric railway company to extend its electric street railway in the township of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, in and along the highway extending from the eastern terminus of Michigan avenue, in the city of Lansing, to the grounds of the Michigan Agricultural College, to regulate the construction and operation thereof, and to provide a penalty for the obstruction of said railway:
introduced by Mr. Champion; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 7 ... 231

97. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 140 of the session laws of 1867, being an act entitled "An act to regulate express companies and their agents, and individuals pursuing express business not incorporated by the State of Michigan," approved March 27, 1867:
introduced by Mr. Champion; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 7 ... 231

98. A bill making an appropriation to aid in maintaining the fire and police department of the city of Lansing:
introduced by Mr. Champion; referred to committee on cities and villages February 7 ... 231
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 2 ... 568

99. A bill to provide for the adoption of a uniform system of text books for all the public schools in this State, and to create a board of commissioners for the purpose of securing for use in the common schools of the State of Michigan a series of text books; defining the duties of certain officers with reference thereto; making appropriation therefor; defining certain felonies and misdemeanors; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; repealing all laws in conflict herewith:
introduced by Mr. Champion; referred to committee on education and public schools February 7 ... 231
reported; general order February 15 ... 318
file No. 69.
considered in committee of whole February 27 ... 470
committee of whole; tabled March 15 ... 694

100. A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 32 of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 1581 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to bills of exchange and promissory notes, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith:
introduced by Mr. Steel; ordered printed and referred to committee on

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judiciary February 7 ... 231
file No. 35.
reported; general order February 14 ... 286
committee of whole; recommitted February 15 ... 344
101. A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, as amended by act No. 208 of the session laws of 1881, and to add a new section thereto, to stand as section 2 of said act:
introduced by Mr. Steel; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 7 ... 232
file No. 36.
reported adversely; tabled April 12 ... 921
taken up; general order April 20 ... 1001
committee of whole; amended; third reading April 26 ... 1049
re-referred to general order April 27 ... 1066
committee of whole discharged; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 10 ... 1183
returned; title amended by adding to the end thereof the words, "and as amended by act No. 77 of the public acts of 1893;" concurred in; referred for enrollment May 25 ... 1522
reported enrolled May 26 ... 1602
102. A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to prevent the soliciting or issuing of unauthorized fire or inland marine insurance policies in this State," approved May 12, 1881, the same being compiler's section No. 4354 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Earle; ordered printed and referred to committee on insurance February 7 ... 232
file No. 37.
reported; general order April 14 ... 956
committee of whole; third reading April 18 ... 969
passed; transmitted April 20 ... 1003
returned; referred for enrollment May 11 ... 1212
reported enrolled May 12 ... 1235
approved May 15 ... 1250
103. A bill to provide for the construction of a coal house, and the purchase of a machinist's lathe for the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on Asylum for the Criminal Insane February 7 ... 232
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 17 ... 728
reported; general order March 30 ... 861
file No. 190.
committee of whole; third reading April 11 ... 917
passed; title amended to read: A bill to provide for the construction of a coal house and purchase of one machinist's lathe for the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane, and to make payment for the same out of the surplus moneys in the hands of the superintendent of said asylum; transmitted April 13 ... 933
returned; referred for enrollment April 17 ... 960
reported enrolled April 18 ... 965
approved April 20 ... 998
104. A bill making it unlawful for foreign insurance companies legally admitted to do business in the State of Michigan, to place or cause to be placed, insurance on property in the State of Michigan in offices outside the State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Earle; ordered printed and referred to committee on insurance February 7 ... 232
file No. 38.
reported; general order March 29 ... 844
committee of whole; recommitted April 5 ... 876
reported; amended; general order April 13 ... 944
committee of whole; third reading April 18 ... 969
passed; title amended to read: A bill making it unlawful for foreign fire,

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boiler, plate glass or casualty insurance companies, legally admitted to do business in the State of Michigan, to place or cause to be placed, except through a duly licensed agent in this State, insurance on property in the State of Michigan, in offices outside the State of Michigan; effect July 1, 1893; transmitted April 19 981
returned; amended; title amended by striking out of line 1 of title the words "fire, boiler, plate glass or casualty," and also the words "on property;" concurred in; referred for enrollment May 19 1356
reported enrolled May 22 1392
approved May 25 1526

105. A bill to amend section 51 of chapter 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit," and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith, being act No. 326 of the session laws of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, as amended:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 7 232
file No. 39.
reported; general order April 20 993
committee of whole; third reading April 20 1007
tabled April 21 1018
taken up; passed; transmitted May 10 1166
returned; title amended to read as follows: A bill to amend section 51 of chapter 7 of sections 7 and 8 of chapter 11 and to add six new sections to chapter 11 to stand as sections 45, 46, 48, 49, and 50 of "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883; tabled May 25 ... 1534
taken up; recommitted May 26 1586

106. A bill to amend section 4 of the act entitled "An act to revise the laws for the incorporation of all manufacturing companies, except such as are contemplated by act No. 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manufacture of salt, and mercantile companies or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations," approved June 20, 1885:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 7 232
reported; general order March 22 763
file No. 40.
committee of whole; third reading March 28 831
passed; transmitted March 28 836
returned; referred for enrollment May 10 1178
reported enrolled May 12 1230
approved May 15 1250

107. A bill to encourage the artificial propagation and culture of whitefish in the inland lakes of the State, by granting certain privileges to owners or lessees of all the lands bordering upon such lakes, who shall annually, for a specified time, deposit in such lakes certain quantities of whitefish eggs or fry, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts so far as they are inconsistent with its provisions:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on state affairs February 7 233
file No. 41.
reported; referred to committee on fisheries March 16 709

108. A bill to provide for and authorize the school board of district No. 1 in the township of Plymouth, Wayne county, State of Michigan, to examine and grant certificates to all teachers employed or to be employed by said board to teach in said school:
introduced by Mr. Hough; referred to committee on education and public schools Feb. 7 233
reported; general order February 14 287
file No. 68.
committee of whole; third reading February 24 456
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 25 464
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1610

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109. A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 26 of the public acts of 1891, being an act entitled "An act providing for the employment of, defining the duties, and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the 26th judicial circuit of the State of Michigan:"
introduced by Mr. Turnbull; tabled February 7 233
110. A bill to incorporate the union of the Catholic French Canadian societies:
introduced by Mr. Turnbull; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies February 7 233
111. A bill making it unlawful for any individual or member of any firm, or the agent, officers or employés of any corporation to prevent or attempt to prevent employés from forming, joining and belonging to any lawful labor organization, and providing a penalty for coercing, attempting to coerce, discharging or threatening to discharge them for the same:
introduced by Mr. Doran; ordered printed and referred to committee on labor interests February 8 252
file No. 42.
112. A bill to amend sections 11 and 12 of act No. 164, public acts of 1877, entitled "An act to authorize cities, incorporated villages and townships to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms," approved May 21, 1877, being compiler's sections 5185 and 5186 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 8 252
reported; tabled March 14 670
file No. 53.
113. A bill to provide for a State quarantine system, and to make a contingent appropriation to be used if necessary:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; ordered printed and referred to committee on State affairs February 8 252
file No. 54.
114. A bill to amend sections 14, 23, 24, 25 and 42 of an act to revise the charter of the village of Wayland, approved March 30, 1869:
introduced by Mr. Garvelink; referred to committee on cities and villages February 8 252
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 10 269
returned; referred for enrollment February 23 445
reported enrolled March 6 604
approved March 6 604
115. A bill to provide for placing on the retired list on reduced pay members of the metropolitan police force of the city of Detroit, who shall have become disabled or incapacitated while in the active performance of official duty, and members of said force and persons in the employ of the police board of the city of Detroit, who after twenty-five years faithful, continuous service shall have become permanently incapacitated from performing regular active duty:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 8 252
file No. 43.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 28 474
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 3 1105
reported enrolled May 4 1126
approved May 5 1133
116. A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 280 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act relative to justice's courts in Detroit," as amended, being compiler's section 7091*g* of 3 Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan for the years 1883–1890:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 8 252
file No. 44.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 15 315
returned; referred for enrollment February 28 479
reported enrolled March 6 604
approved March 6 605

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117. A bill to amend section 9 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of constructing, owning, controlling and acquiring by lease, buildings for exposition and exhibition purposes," approved February 13, 1889, being act No. 6 of the session laws of 1889:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on banks and corporations February 8 ... 253
file No. 45.
reported; general order March 22 ... 762
committee of whole; third reading March 24 ... 812
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 24 ... 814
returned; referred for enrollment May 10 ... 1165
reported enrolled May 12 ... 1230
approved May 15 ... 1250

118. A bill making appropriations for the State Industrial Home for Girls for the years 1893 and 1894:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on Industrial Home for Girls February 8 ... 253
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 14 ... 308
reported; general order March 2 ... 573
file No. 46.
committee of whole; third reading March 3 ... 599
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 6 ... 609
returned; referred for enrollment May 9 ... 1149
reported enrolled May 10 ... 1161
approved May 11 ... 1188

119. A bill to encourage the propagation and culture of whitefish and the protection of whitefish eggs and fry in the inland lakes of this State, by granting certain privileges to owners or lessees of all the land bordering upon such lakes, who shall annually, for a specified time, deposit in such lakes certain quantities of whitefish eggs or fry, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts so far as they are inconsistent with its provisions, and to punish any person violating the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on State affairs February 8 ... 253
file No. 47.
reported; referred to committee on fisheries March 16 ... 708

120. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 122 of the public acts of the year 1877, entitled "An act for the incorporation of associations for yachting, hunting, fishing, boating, rowing and other lawful sporting purposes," approved May 14, 1877, as amended by act No. 217 of the public acts of 1879, the same being section 4818 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, as amended by act No. 59 of the public acts of 1891:
introduced by Mr. Burt; ordered printed and referred to committee on banks and corporations February 8 ... 253
reported; general order February 28 ... 476
file No. 48.
committee of whole; third reading February 28 ... 478
not passed; reconsidered; tabled March 1 ... 541

121. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Bruce, in the county of Chippewa, State of Michigan, and organize the township of Dafter in said county:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on counties and townships February 8 ... 253
reported; general order February 15 ... 313
file No. 72.
committee of whole; third reading March 3 ... 598
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 6 ... 611
returned; amended; referred for enrollment March 15 ... 688
reported enrolled March 20 ... 745
approved March 20 ... 746

122. A bill to authorize the board of trustees of the Eastern Michigan Asylum to sell and convey certain lands held by the State for burying grounds, in exchange for other land:
introduced by Mr. Hough; referred to committee on asylums for insane February 8 ... 253

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reported; general order February 9 258
file No. 58.
committee of whole; third reading February 15 326
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 16 340
returned; referred for enrollment March 3 593
reported enrolled March 9 659
approved March 13 663
123. A bill to amend section 11 of chapter 71 of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 5879 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on judiciary February 9 262
124. A bill to amend act No. 161 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Three Rivers," approved February 13, 1885, as amended by the following acts, to wit: Act No. 205 of the session laws of 1873, act No. 338 of local acts of 1879, act No. 351 of local acts of 1881, act No. 478 of local acts of 1887, act No. 441 of local acts of 1889, and act No. 378 of the local acts of 1891, by adding one new section thereto to stand as section 76:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on cities and villages February 9 262
125. A bill making appropriation of $25,000 as a working capital for the Eastern Michigan Asylum:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on asylums for insane February 9 262
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 10 271
reported; general order March 15 684
file No. 147.
committee of whole; tabled March 23 792
126. A bill providing that deeds, mortgages, or other instruments affecting the title to real estate, when presented for record, shall have the certificate of a county treasurer attached thereto, certifying that the taxes on the land described therein have been paid or that the same have been sold for the non-payment of taxes; and prescribing a penalty for the recording of any such deed, mortgage, or other instrument affecting the title to real estate without having such certificate attached thereto:
introduced by Mr. Hough; ordered printed and referred to committee on taxation February 9 262
file No. 59.
127. A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a State board of equalization," approved April 7, 1851, being section 223 of the compiled laws, as amended by act No. 85 of the session laws of 1871, approved April 8, 1871, and being consecutive section No. 319 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on judiciary February 9 262
128. A bill to amend section 42 of act No. 213 of the session laws of 1875, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the State Prison and the government and discipline thereof, and to repeal all acts inconsistent therewith," being consecutive section 9705 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on State Prison February 9 263
reported tabled March 28 824
file No. 60.
taken up; general order April 6 885
committee of whole; amended; third reading April 11 918
passed; transmitted April 13 937
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1610
129. A bill to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the adoption and use of a standard form of fire insurance policy," approved May 12, 1881:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; tabled on February 9 263
130. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 31 of the public acts of the year 1887 (Howell's statutes, section 1894a), entitled "An act to prohibit the maintenance of saloons or other places of entertainment in which intoxicating

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liquors are sold and to prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors within one mile of the soldiers' home:
introduced by Mr. Doran; referred to committee on liquor traffic February 9 ... 263
reported; general order February 15 ... 313
file No. 70.
committee of whole; third reading February 24 ... 456
tabled February 25 ... 466
taken up; recommitted March 28 ... 830
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 31 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to prohibit the maintenance of saloons and other places of entertainment in which intoxicating liquors are sold, and to prohibit the sale or giving away of intoxicating liquors within one mile of the soldiers' home," approved March 17, 1887, being section 1984*s* of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan; agreed to; general order April 28 ... 1078
committee of the whole May 10 ... 1185
committee of the whole; all after enacting clause stricken out; Senate non-concurs; tabled May 11 ... 1209
taken up; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 11 1210
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1610

131. A bill to establish a permanent State weather service in this State cooperating with the weather bureau, U. S. Department of Agriculture, for the purpose of the collection and compilation of climatic and meteorologic data, the accurate and rapid dissemination of daily weather forecasts, also frost and cold wave warnings, and weather crop conditions, the same to be used for the benefit of the agricultural, commercial and scientific interests of the State, and making an appropriation therefor:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committe on State affairs February 9 ... 263
reported; general order March 16 ... 708
file No. 164.
committee of whole discharged; referred to committee on finance and appropriations, March 23 ... 790
reported; general order April 7 ... 894
committee of whole; third reading April 11 ... 918
passed; immediate effect; transmitted April 23 ... 935
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1608

132. A bill to change the name of the "Reform School" to "The Industrial School for Boys:"
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on reform school February 9 ... 263
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 10 ... 270
returned; referred for enrollment February 23 ... 445
reported enrolled February 25 ... 459
approved February 25 ... 459

133. A bill to amend sections 1 to 7, both inclusive, and sections 17 and 31 of act No. 313 of the public acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan for the year 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering of spirituous or intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors, and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," and to add a new section thereto, to be known as section 35, so as to provide for the licensing and regulation of the several businesses covered by and regulated in the above entitled act:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; ordered printed and referred to committee on liquor traffic February 9 ... 263
file No. 61.

134. A bill to repeal act No. 262 of the session laws of 1887, being "An act to provide for reporting all mortgages by the several registers of deeds of this State, to the supervisors and assessing officers of their respective counties, and to the registers of deeds of other counties, wherein the mortgagee resides, for assessment purposes, and providing blank form books therefor;

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also prescribing the duties of registers of deeds relative to the recording of mortgages:"
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on judiciary February 9 ... 264
reported; referred to committee on taxation March 2 ... 570

135. A bill to prescribe the manner of recording deeds, mortgages and powers of attorneys and other instruments in the office of register of deeds in the several counties of this State:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on judiciary February 9 ... 264
reported; amended; general order March 2 ... 570
file No. 126.
committee of whole; referred to committee on taxation March 14 ... 675

136. A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to special committee on congressional apportionment February 10 ... 264
ordered printed for committee May 11 ... 1187
reported; special order May 13 ... 1241
file No. 237.
committee of whole; rules suspended; tabled May 13 ... 1248
taken up; amended; passed; transmitted May 18 ... 1317
returned amended; Senate non-concurs; reconsidered; tabled May 25 ... 1518
taken up; Senate non-concurs; conference committee appointed; retransmitted May 25 ... 1533
re-returned; report of conference committee non-concurred in; tabled May 26 ... 1592-4

137. A bill to provide for the government, management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on State Public School February 10 ... 274
ordered printed for committee February 14 ... 285
reported; general order February 24 ... 452
file No. 64.
committee of whole; third reading March 1 ... 542
passed; transmitted March 2 ... 582
returned; amended; concurred in; tabled May 9 ... 1151
taken up; immediate effect; motion to reconsider lost May 18 ... 1311
requested by House; retransmitted May 19 ... 1341
re-returned; referred for enrollment May 23 ... 1436
reported enrolled May 25 ... 1528
approved May 29 ... 1612

138. A bill to regulate and restrain the recording of deeds and other evidences of title to lands delinquent for taxes, and to prescribe the duties of registers of deeds in such cases:
introduced by Mr. Turnbull; referred to committee on taxation February 10 ... 275

139. A bill for the taxation of the Michigan Central Railroad Company, the Michigan Southern Railroad Company, now known as the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad Company, the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee Railroad Company, and every railway and railroad company organized or existing under any special act or acts of incorporation, or special or general act or acts of consolidation, or which has heretofore been taxed under any special act or acts of the Legislature of this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; referred to special committee on railroad taxation February 10 ... 275

140. A bill to regulate the maximum amount that can be charged or taken as fare on street railways in villages or cities in this State having a minimum number of inhabitants and prescribing a penalty for charging or taking any more than said amount:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on cities and villages February 13 ... 284

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141. A bill to repeal act No. 182 of the session laws, public acts of 1891, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of a franchise fee by corporations," approved July 2, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 13 ... 284
reported adversely; tabled March 23 ... 781

142. A bill to regulate the time of transmittal and the amount which may be charged or taken for telegraphic messages transmitted and delivered within this State, and to provide a penalty, and remedy for the failure to transmit or deliver in time any such message, or for the charging or taking more than said amount for the transmission or delivery of such messages:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 13 ... 284

143. A bill to amend section 1755 of chapter 58 of the compiled laws of 1857, as amended by act 32 of the public acts of 1871, as amended by act 80 of the public acts of 1881, the same being section 4588 of chapter 165 of Howell's annotated statutes, and being an act for the incorporation of charitable societies.
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies February 13 ... 284
reported; general order April 20 ... 997
file No. 221.
committee of whole; third reading May 2 ... 1089
passed; transmitted May 2 ... 1092
returned; referred for enrollment May 24 ... 1481
reported enrolled May 25 ... 1529
approved May 29 ... 1612

144. A bill to amend sections 1 and 7 of act No. 293 of the session laws of 1887, entitled "An act to preserve evidence of error or fraud in the counting of ballots and in election returns, and in the count of inspectors of election, and the declaration of the board of canvassers in contested elections," approved June 23, 1887:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on elections February 13 284

145. A bill to reincorporate the village of Constantine, in the county of St. Joseph and State of Michigan, and to repeal act No. 191 of the public acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1861, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Constantine," approved March 15, 1861, and the acts amendatory thereto:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on cities and villages February 13 ... 284
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 17 ... 347
returned; referred for enrollment February 28 ... 479
reported enrolled March 2 ... 575
approved March 3 ... 590

146. A bill making appropriations for the State Board of Fish Commissioners for the year ending June 30, 1894, and the year ending June 30, 1895:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on fisheries February 14 ... 304
reported; amended; general order May 10 ... 1181
file No. 248.
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 16 ... 1269
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 16 ... 1273
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1567
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1608

147. A bill to repeal act No. 207 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away or furnishing, of vinous, malt, brewed, fermented, spirituous or intoxicating liquors, or any mixed liquors or beverage, any part of which is intoxicating, and to prohibit the keeping of any saloon or other place for the manufacture, sale, storing for sale, giving away or furnishing of such liquors or beverages, and to suspend the general laws of the State relative to the taxation and regulation of the manufacture and sale of such liquors in the several counties of this State under certain circumstances; to authorize the qualified electors of the several counties in this State to express their will in regard

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to such prohibition by an election, and to authorize and empower the board of supervisors of the several counties, after such election, if they shall determine the result to be in favor of such prohibition, to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away or furnishing of any such liquors, or the keeping of a saloon or any other place for the manufacture, sale, storing for sale, giving away or furnishing of the same within their respective counties; and to provide for penalties and rights of action in case of its violation," approved June 29, 1859:
introduced by Mr. Doran; referred to committee on liquor traffic February 14 ... 304
motion to discharge committee lost May 19 ... 1347

148. A bill to regulate charges for the transmission and delivery of telegraph messages within the State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 14 ... 305
ordered printed for committee March 9 ... 653
file No. 141.

149. A bill to provide for the election of inspectors of mines and the appointment of their deputies, in certain cases, to prescribe their powers and duties, and to provide for their compensation and to repeal all acts or parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on Mining School and mining interests February 14 ... 305
ordered printed for committee March 8 ... 628
file No. 137.
reported without recommendation; tabled May 24 ... 1457

150. A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 113 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of companies for mining, smelting and manufacturing iron, copper, silver, mineral coal and other ores, or minerals, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations," approved May 11, 1877, the same being section 4079 of Howell's statutes:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on Mining School and mining interests February 14 ... 305
ordered printed for committee March 8 ... 627
file No. 138.
reported without recommendation; tabled May 24 ... 1457

151. A bill relating to the liability of employers for personal injuries sustained by their employés:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on labor interests February 14 ... 305
ordered printed for committee March 23 ... 779
file No. 174.
reported; substitute agreed to; general order April 28 ... 1079
file No. 232.
committee of whole; referred to committees on railroads and judiciary, jointly, May 11 ... 1209
committees instructed to report May 23 ... 1432
reported; general order May 24 ... 1458
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1506
amended; not passed May 26 ... 1557

152. A bill relative to contributory negligence, and to provide for the submission of the same as a question of fact to the jury:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on judiciary February 14 306

153. A bill to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the Michigan School for the Deaf, and to repeal all laws inconsistent herewith:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on institution for the deaf and dumb February 14 ... 306
reported; amended; general order March 16 ... 707
file No. 161.
committee of whole; third reading March 28 ... 832
passed; transmitted March 29 ... 848
returned; amended; concurred in; motion to reconsider lost; referred for enrollment May 19 ... 1359
reported enrolled May 22 ... 1393
approved May 29 ... 1612

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154. A bill to authorize the city of Grand Haven to raise money to be used towards the construction of a courthouse therein for the county of Ottawa in excess of the amount of its *pro rata* tax:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on cities and villages February 14 ... 306
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 15 ... 678
returned; referred for enrollment March 17 ... 730
reported enrolled March 20 ... 745
approved March 24 ... 809

155. A bill to amend section 27 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the laws of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads, and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," approved June 8, 1881, as amended by act No. 166 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 6, 1883, further amended by act No. 231 of the public acts of 1889, approved July 1, 1889, being compiler's section No. 1322, Vol. 3 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on roads and bridges February 14 ... 306
reported; general order April 21 ... 1024
file No. 222.
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 16 ... 1259
passed; transmitted May 19 ... 1350
returned; referred for enrollment May 24 ... 1454
reported enrolled May 25 ... 1528

156. A bill making appropriations for the Reform School for the years 1893 and 1894:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on Reform School February 14 ... 306
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations, March 2 ... 572
reported; general order April 6 ... 881
file No. 193.
committee of whole; third reading April 13 ... 944
passed; title amended; immediate effect; transmitted April 14 ... 948
returned; amended; pending concurrence, referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 9 ... 1149
reported; House amendments concurred in; referred for enrollment May 16 ... 1266
reported enrolled May 17 ... 1281
approved May 20 ... 1378

157. A bill to legalize and make valid certain township bonds issued by the township of Pentwater, in the county of Oceana:
introduced by Mr. Mugford; referred to committee on counties and townships February 14 ... 306
reported; general order February 21 ... 395
file No. 89.
committee of whole; third reading March 7 ... 621
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 8 ... 650
returned; referred for enrollment March 13 ... 664
reported enrolled March 16 ... 710
approved March 15 ... 686

158. A bill to reorganize the sixth, sixteenth and twenty-fourth judicial circuits of this State:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary February 14 ... 307

159. A bill to create the thirty-fourth judicial circuit, and to provide for the holding of courts therein:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on judiciary February 14 307
reported; general order May 4 ... 1115
file No. 235.
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 11 ... 1209
tabled May 12 ... 1232
taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 17 ... 1294
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 25 ... 1515
reported enrolled May 26 ... 1554

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160. A bill for the incorporation of charitable and benevolent institutions, and to provide for the indenturing or apprenticing and guardianship of children under its care, and to enable such corporations to receive and apply all such gifts, grants, devices, bequests, loans and advances, and accept and execute all such trusts as shall be made for such purposes:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies February 14 ... 307

161. A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 80 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to amend sections 5 and 6 of chapter 105 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to charitable societies," being compiler's sections 3040 and 3041, approved April 9, 1881, and being section 4588 of Howell's annotated statutes, by increasing the amount of property, such corporation may take by gift, purchase or device, from $100,000 to $500,000:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies February 14 ... 307

162. A bill to amend act No. 261 of the session laws of 1865, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of Presbyterian churches," approved March 18, 1865, being chapter 172 of title 16 of Howell's annotated statutes, by adding one new section thereto, to stand as section 10, to authorize corporations organized thereunder to use, under certain circumstances and restrictions, a part of their property for secular purposes:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies February 14 ... 307

163. A bill to provide a general law under which corporations may be formed to carry on institutions for the treatment of disease and for instruction therein and in hygiene:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 14 ... 307

164. A bill to reincorporate the city of Holland:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on cities and villages February 15 ... 324
ordered printed for committee February 20 ... 369
file No. 85.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 1 529
returned; referred for enrollment March 3 ... 575
reported enrolled March 8 ... 644
approved March 13 ... 663

165. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Holland," being amendatory of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Holland, approved March 25, 1867," approved March 23, 1871, which became a law April 2, 1873, approved April 1, 1875, as subsequently amended:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on cities and villages February 15 ... 325

166. A bill to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all laws inconsistent herewith:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on school for blind February 15 ... 325
reported; general order March 30 ... 861
file No. 189.
made special order for April 12, March 30 ... 866
committee of whole; third reading April 12 ... 928
passed; transmitted April 13 ... 938

167. A bill to incorporate the city of St. Johns:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on cities and villages February 15 ... 325

168. A bill to amend "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," being act No. 205 of the session laws of 1887, approved June 21, 1887, as amended by act No. 257 of the session laws of 1889, approved July 31, 1879, as amended by act No. 10 of the session laws of 1891, approved February 18, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 15 ... 325
reported; general order May 16 ... 1275
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1506

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169. A bill to establish a State Normal School at Bay City and to make an appropriation therefor:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; referred to committee on State normal school February 15 ... 325
170. A bill to determine and fix the liability of corporations, other than municipal, for injuries to employés, and to extend the liability of such corporations in certain cases:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on labor interests February 15 ... 325
ordered printed for committee March 23 ... 779
file No. 175.
substituted with S. B. No. 150 (file 232) which see ... 1079
171. A bill making appropriations for the current expenses of the State Normal Schools for the years 1893 and 1894:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on State Normal School February 15 ... 326
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriation February 20 ... 369
reported; general order February 24 ... 448
file No. 101.
committee of whole; third reading March 3 ... 599
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 6 ... 611
returned; referred for enrollment April 13 ... 940
reported enrolled April 14 ... 946
approved April 19 ... 973
172. A bill to amend sections 11 and 15 of act No. 187 of the public acts of 1887, relative to the incorporation of coöperative mutual benefit associations, and to define their powers and duties:
introduced by Mr. Hough; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies February 15 ... 326
reported; general order February 24 ... 449
file No. 102.
committee of whole; third reading March 3 ... 599
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 6 ... 610
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1609
173. A bill to amend sections 42, 43 and 44 of chapter 11 of act No. 326 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, and the acts amendatory thereof:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 16 ... 334
file No. 74.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 29 ... 855
concurred in; referred for enrollment April 27 ... 1060
reported enrolled April 28 ... 1066
approved May 5 ... 1132
174. A bill to amend sections numbered 7 and 15 of an act entitled "An act supplemental to the charter of the city of Detroit, and relating to parks, boulevards and other public grounds in said city," and to repeal act No. 374 of the local acts of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a broad street or boulevard about the limits of the city of Detroit, and through portions of the townships of Hamtramck, Greenfield and Springwells, in the county of Wayne," approved May 21, 1879, approved May 8, 1889, and to add a new section to said act, approved May 8, 1889, to stand as section No. 31:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 16 ... 334
file No. 75.
reported; substituted; rules suspended; not passed; reconsidered; tabled; taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 26 ... 1554-6
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1596
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1607
175. A bill for the discontinuance of causes pending in courts of record of this State for want of prosecution:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on judiciary February 16 ... 334

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176. A bill to provide a board of inspectors for the control and management of the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith:
introduced by Mr. Pascoe; referred to committee on House of Correction at Marquette February 16 ... 334
file No. 104.
ordered printed for committee February 27 ... 469

177. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 140, laws of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of Michigan," approved June 2, 1883, as amended by act No. 98, public acts of 1891, being compiler's section 2287 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 15 of said act:
introduced by Mr. Champion; referred to committee on judiciary February 16 ... 334
reported; general order March 14 ... 669
file No. 143.
committee of whole; third reading March 28 ... 831
tabled March 28 ... 837
taken up; amended; passed; transmitted March 29 ... 851
returned; referred for enrollment May 9 ... 1150
reported enrolled May 10 ... 1160
approved May 11 ... 1187

178. A bill to authorize the destruction of infected clothing, bedding, etc., and to provide for compensation therefor by the township, city or village:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 16 ... 335
file No. 76.
reported; general order March 8 ... 625
committee of whole; third reading March 8 ... 645
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 8 ... 650

179. A bill authorizing the judge of probate of the county of St. Clair to appoint a register, prescribing his powers and duties and fixing his compensation:
introduced by Mr. French; referred to committee on judiciary February 16 ... 335
reported; general order April 11 ... 910
file No. 202.
committee of whole; third reading April 19 ... 986
passed; immediate effect; transmitted April 20 ... 1004
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1609

180. A bill to provide a board of jury commissioners for the county of St. Clair and the manner of selecting jurors to serve in the circuit court for said county and to prescribe their duties and fix their compensation and to punish violations of the act:
introduced by Mr. French; referred to committee on judiciary February 16 ... 335
reported; general order March 8 ... 627
file No. 134.
committee of whole; third reading March 24 ... 813
passed March 28 ... 821
immediate effect; transmitted March 28 ... 831
returned; referred for enrollment May 25 ... 1522
reported enrolled May 26 ... 1554

181. A bill to authorize Catherine B. Boswell, of Menominee, Michigan, to execute and file in the office of the register of deeds of Menominee county, Michigan, a counterpart of the plat of William G. Boswell's addition to Menominee, Michigan, as filed in said office under date of May 10, 1873, the same when so executed and filed, to relate back to the date of said original plat and have the same effect as though said original plat had been executed and acknowledged by her before being so first filed:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 16 ... 335
file No. 77.
reported; general order March 2 ... 571
committee of whole; third reading March 3 ... 599
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 6 ... 610

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returned; referred for enrollment March 13 665
reported enrolled March 16 710
approved March 15 686
182. A bill to authorize the city of Menominee in the State of Michigan, in conjunction with the city of Marinette in the state of Wisconsin, or the counties of Menominee in the State of Michigan and Marinette in the state of Wisconsin, or either or any of them jointly or severally, to build a bridge across the Menominee river, and to authorize the citizens of said municipalities to build such bridge:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 16 335
file No. 78.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 7 615
returned; referred for enrollment March 24 817
reported enrolled March 28 824
approved March 30 864
183. A bill to authorize the county of Menominee to aid in the construction of a bridge across the Menominee river:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; ordered printed and referred to committee on counties and townships February 16 335
file No. 79.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 7 619
returned; referred for enrollment April 20 999
reported enrolled April 25 1035
approved April 26 1046
184. A bill to authorize the township of Mellen, in the county of Menominee, to aid in the construction and maintenance of a bridge across the Menominee river:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; ordered printed and referred to committee on counties and townships February 16 336
file No. 80.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 7 618
returned; referred for enrollment April 19 974
reported enrolled April 25 1035
approved April 26 1047
185. A bill to provide for and authorize the construction and maintenance of a dam across the Chippewa river at the village of Isabella City in the township of Union, in the county of Isabella, near where the section line between sections 10 and 11 crosses said river, by the owners of the land on which the same is to be constructed, their heirs and assigns, for the purpose of furnishing water power to propel mills, machinery, electric works, and to generate electricity, and for other purposes:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on counties and townships February 16 336
reported; general order February 21 396
file No. 90.
committee of whole; third reading March 3 599
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 6 609
returned; referred for enrollment March 13 665
reported enrolled March — 710
approved March 15 685
186. A bill to create and establish two appellate courts within the State of Michigan, and to define their powers and duties:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 16 336
file No. 73.
187. A bill to provide a central board of inspectors for the Michigan State Prison at Jackson, to prescribe its duties and powers, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on State Prison February 16 336
ordered printed for committee March 28 824
file No. 186.

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188. A bill to amend section 55 of act No. 205 of the public acts of this State for the year A. D. 1887, entitled "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," approved June 21, 1887:
introduced by Mr. Hough; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 16 ... 336
reported; general order May 13 ... 1244
file No. 250.
committee of whole; third reading May 20 ... 1381
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 22 ... 1412
returned; referred for enrollment May 25 ... 1521
reported enrolled May 26 ... 1554

189. A bill to amend section 8 of act 168 of the laws of 1857, as amended by act 139 of the laws of 1865, relative to the incorporation of villages by boards of supervisors, being section 2990 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Sawyer; referred to committee on cities and villages February 16 ... 336

190. A bill to amend section 1 of act 182 of the laws of 1891, relative to the payment of a franchise fee by corporations:
introduced by Mr. Sawyer; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 16 ... 337
reported; general order March 23 ... 781
file No. 173.
committee of whole; referred to committee on judiciary April 19 ... 987
reported; general order May 16 ... 1275
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1506

191. A bill to vacate the township organization of Clifton, in the county of Keweenaw, State of Michigan, and attach the territory thereof to the township of Allouez:
introduced by Mr. Sawyer; referred to committee on counties and townships February 16 ... 337
reported; general order February 21 ... 395
file No. 91.
committee of whole; tabled March 7 ... 622

192. A bill to amend sections 3 and 5 of act No. 111 of the public acts of Michigan of 1891, being "An act providing for the appointment, defining the duties and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the 33d judicial circuit:"
introduced by Mr. Turnbull; referred to committee on judiciary February 16 ... 337
reported; rules suspended; tabled April 6 ... 882
taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted April 6 ... 884
returned; referred for enrollment April 6 ... 892
reported enrolled April 7 ... 898
approved April 10 ... 904

193. A bill to bring the Michigan Central Railroad Company and the railroad and property and business now owned or controlled by said company in this State within the scope and operation in all respects of the general railroad laws of this State, and to repeal all acts inconsistent with this act, and to designate a board to adjust any claim for damages which may be made against the State on account of the repeal aforesaid:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; referred to special committee on railroad taxation February 16 ... 337
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to repeal section 32, and to amend section 33 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central Railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company," approved March 28, 1846; agreed to; ordered printed in the Journal; general order May 17 ... 1307
committee of whole; third reading May 20 ... 1379
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 24 ... 1497
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1598
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1607

194. A bill to restore the control and management of the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia to a State Board of Managers, and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act:

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introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on reformatory at Ionia February 16 337

195. A bill to amend section 11 of act No. 116 of the public acts of 1882, entitled "An act to amend section 11 of act No. 168 of the session laws of 1879, entitled 'An act to provide for the publication, stereotyping, printing, binding, distribution and sale of the reports and decisions of the Supreme Court of Michigan, and to repeal sections 5 and 6 of chapter 180, being compiler's sections 5655 and 5656 of the compiled laws of 1871,'" approved April 15, 1879, and being compiler's section 7214 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan of 1882:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on judiciary February 16 337
reported; general order March 15 680
file No. 155.
committee of whole; third reading March 23 791
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 23 800
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1609

196. A bill to protect primary elections and conventions of any political party and to punish offenses committed thereat:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on elections February 17 352

197. A bill to amend section 9 of article No 313 of the session laws of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving, or delivering spirituous and intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," being compiler's section 2283*d*[3] of Howell's annotated statutes, Vol. 3:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on liquor traffic February 17 352

198. A bill to incorporate the village of Grosse Pointe Park in the county of Wayne, and for that purpose to detach certain territory from the village of Grosse Pointe:
introduced by Mr. Hough; referred to committee on cities and villages February 17 352
ordered printed for committee March 15 677
file No. 150.
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to incorporate the village of Grosse Pointe Farms in the county of Wayne, and for that purpose to detach certain territory from the village of Grosse Pointe; agreed to; general order May 9 1146
committee of whole; third reading May 11 1209
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 11 1211
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 17 1283
reported enrolled May 19 1371
approved May 22 1394

199. A bill to provide for the taxation of property, the manner of assessment thereof, for levying and collecting taxes thereon, making such taxes a lien on the lands taxed, and providing for establishing and continuing such lien, and for the sale and conveyance of lands heretofore or hereafter delinquent, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; ordered printed and referred to committee on taxation February 17 352
file No. 81.
reported; substitute with same title; agreed to; general order April 14 .. 957
file No. 210.
committee of whole; ordered reprinted April 18 970
file No. 212.
committee of whole April 25 1039
committee of whole April 27 1068
committee of whole April 28 a. m. 1084
committee of whole April 28, p. m. 1086
committee of whole May 4, a. m. 1121
committee of whole May 4, p. m. 1128
committee of whole May 5 1136
committee of whole May 8 1139
committee of whole May 9 1144

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committee of whole; third reading May 10 ... 1184
tabled May 12 ... 1220
taken up; passed; effect June 12, 1893; transmitted May 12 ... 1233
returned; amended; pending concurrence; tabled May 24 ... 1481
taken up; House amendments non-concurred in; conference committee appointed; retransmitted May 25 ... 1504
returned; report of conference committee concurred in; referred for enrollment May 25 ... 1535
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1606
200. A bill to provide for the assessment of property and the levy and collection of taxes thereon, for the return and sale of all lands delinquent for taxes, for the continuing of liens for taxes heretofore or hereafter levied, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; ordered printed and referred to committee on taxation February 17 ... 352
file No. 82.
201. A bill to prohibit any person from using any of the designations "and Company," "& Company," or "& Co.:"
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 17 ... 353
202. A bill to allow the use of the Rhines vote recorder in elections held in this State:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on elections February 17 353
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to allow the use of the Myers automatic ballot machine or any other ballot machine of similar construction and principle, in all township, village or city elections held in this State; agreed to; general order May 10 ... 1183
committee of whole; third reading May 11 ... 1209
passed; transmitted May 11 ... 1211
returned amended; pending concurrence, tabled May 18 ... 1311
taken up; House amendments concurred in; referred for enrollment May 19 ... 1349
reported enrolled May 22 ... 1393
approved May 25 ... 1526
203. A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 25 of the session laws of the year 1887, entitled "An act to provide for three additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit," so as to provide two additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 17 ... 353
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to amend sections 1 and 5 of act No. 25 of the public acts of 1887, approved March 9, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for three additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit, so as to provide two additional circuit judges for the third judicial circuit; agreed to; general order April 27 ... 1067
file No. 228.
committee of whole; third reading May 3 ... 1111
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 3 ... 1113
returned; referred for enrollment May 24 ... 1461
reported enrolled May 25 ... 1528
approved May 29 ... 1606
204. A bill to create a board of managers for the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals, to prescribe their duties and powers, and to vest the management and control of such asylum in said board, and to repeal all laws that conflict with the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Crane; referred to committee on asylums for the insane February 17 ... 353
205. A bill to amend section 19 of act No. 79 of the laws of 1873, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a Commissioner of Railroads, and to define his powers and duties, and to fix his compensation," approved April 10, 1873, being compiler's section 3303 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State:
introduced by Mr. Crane; referred to committee on railroads February 17 353
ordered printed for committee March 1 ... 536
file No. 110.

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reported; general order May 17 1305
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1506
206. A bill to regulate the closing of barber shops on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 17 353
file No. 83.
207. A bill to authorize the common council of any incorporated city within the limits of this State, or for the board of trustees of any incorporated village therein to make contracts for lighting parks, alleys and other public places within its corporate limits:
introduced by Mr. Sawyer; referred to committee on cities and villages February 17 353
reported; general order March 23 777
file No. 177.
committee of whole; referred to committee on judiciary April 11 919
208. A bill to establish, regulate and maintain a Normal School in the upper peninsula:
introduced by Mr. Sawyer; referred to committee on State Normal School February 17 354
209. A bill to provide a legal and uniform system of computing interest and discount:
introduced by Mr. Burt; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 17 354
reported; general order March 23 782
file No. 172.
committee of whole; third reading March 28 832
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 29 847
210. A bill to authorize cities and villages to regulate and control the drivers of hacks and other vehicles, and the runners, porters and criers of hotels and boarding houses, at railroad premises, and to limit them to stands or places in certain cases, and to pass necessary ordinances and punish violations thereof:
introduced by Mr. Burt; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 17 354
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 28 473
211. A bill to amend section 27 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws authorizing the business of banking, and to establish a banking department for the supervision of such business," approved June 21, 1887:
introduced by Mr. Burt; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 17 354
212. A bill to incorporate the village of Warren in the township of Warren, Macomb county:
introduced by Mr. Mellen; referred to committee on cities and villages February 17 354
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 16 702
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment April 21 1014
reported enrolled April 25 1036
approved May 3 1104
213. A bill to provide that the division of the league of American wheelmen and the branches thereof known as the clubs of the State of Michigan be incorporated:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 17 354
ordered printed for committee March 9 653
file No. 139.
reported; general order May 13 1244
committee of whole; third reading May 22 1398
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 26 1565
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1611
214. A bill to amend section 1 of act 179 of the public acts of 1881, being section 6399 of Howell's statutes, relative to crier of the supreme court:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on judiciary February 17 355

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reported; general order March 22 ... 760
file No. 170.
committee of whole; third reading March 28 ... 832
tabled March 28 ... 839
taken up; third reading May 10 ... 1166
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 11 ... 1206
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1609
215. A bill to reorganize the fifth judicial circuit, and to create and organize the thirty-fourth judicial circuit:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on judiciary February 17 355
216. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate express companies and their agents, and individuals prosecuting the express business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan," approved March 27, 1867, by adding one new section thereto, to stand as section 7:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on cities and villages February 17 ... 355
reported; referred to committee on judiciary March 6 ... 603
reported; general order March 8 ... 626
file No. 133.
committee of whole; third reading March 16 ... 718
referred to committee on labor interests March 17 ... 738
reported; general order April 20 ... 997
committee of whole; third reading April 24 ... 1029
passed; transmitted May 2 ... 1089
217. A bill to amend sections 4, 5, the thirty-sixth subdivision of section 11, sections 16, 37 and 38 of act No. 428 of the session laws of 1887, entitled "An act to revise and amend act No. 53 of the session laws of 1859, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Battle Creek,' approved February 3, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith," approved April 9, 1887, as amended by act No. 384 of the session laws of 1889, approved May 9, 1889, and to provide for payment of salaries to certain officials, for condemnation of private property located outside of the city limits in certain cases for the public use of said city of Battle Creek, for collection of sidewalk assessments and for enlarging the power of said city in matters of drainage:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on cities and villages February 17 ... 355
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to amend sections 4, 5, 7, 16, 37 and 38, of act No. 428 of the session laws of 1887, entitled an act to revise and amend act No. 53 of the session laws of 1859, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Battle Creek," approved February 3, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof approved April 9, 1887, approved May 9, 1889, approved May 22, 1891, and to add two new sections to said act of incorporation to stand as sections 95 and 96 of said act; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 20 ... 740
returned; referred for enrollment March 21 ... 756
reported enrolled March 23 ... 782
approved March 23 ... 788
218. A bill in relation to the manner of keeping upper berths in any sleeping car run or operated upon any railraid in this State, and to provide a penalty for any violation thereof:
introduced by Mr. Doran; ordered printed and referred to committee on railroads February 17 ... 355
file No. 84.
reported; general order May 23 ... 1428
committee of whole; third reading May 24 ... 1455
219. A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 7 of an act entitled "An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages," approved April 1, 1875, as amended by act No. 52 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to amend section 1 of chapter 7 of an act entitled 'An act granting and defining the powers and duties of incorporated villages,'" approved April 20, 1883, the same being section 2847 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; tabled February 17 ... 355

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taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages March 15 691
reported; general order May 23

220. A bill to provide for the appointment, to prescribe the duties and to fix the compensation of the stenographer for the 34th judicial circuit:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; tabled February 17 356

221. A bill to amend sections 6522c[9] and 6522d[7] of 3d Howell's statutes, being sections 1 and 9 of act No. 225 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographers for the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton, now comprising the fifth judicial circuit," approved June 23, 1887:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; tabled February 17 356

222. A bill to amend the village charter of the village of Vassar, in the county of Tuscola:
introduced by Mr. Fox; tabled February 17 356
taken up; referred to committee on counties and townships May 3 1110
reported; tabled May 12 1223
taken up; rules suspended; passed; title amended to read: A bill to authorize the township of Gilford in the county of Tuscola to borrow money for the purpose of constructing a drain as herein provided in said county of Tuscola; transmitted May 13 1242
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 20 1385
reported enrolled May 22 1393
approved May 24 1477

223. A bill to bring the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad Company and the railroad property and business now owned or controlled by said company in this State, within the scope and operation in all respects of the general railroad laws of this State, and to repeal all acts inconsistent with this act, and to designate a board to adjust any claim for damages which may be made against this State on account of the repeal aforesaid:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; referred to special committee on railroad taxation February 17 356

224. A bill to allow the village of Ontonagon, in the county of Ontonagon, to issue bonds to the amount of thirty thousand dollars for the purpose of building water-works and an electric lighting plant:
introduced by Mr. Sawyer; referred to committee on cities and villages February 17 357
reported; substitute having same title; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 23 775
returned; referred for enrollment March 23 795
reported enrolled March 24 808
approved March 24 819

225. A bill to regulate the use, transportation and sale of fish and game:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on State affairs February 17 357

226. A bill to amend act No. 28, laws of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for a game and fish warden and to prescribe his powers and duties:"
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on State affairs February 17 357
ordered printed for committee April 27 1058
file No. 226.
reported; general order May 9 1140
committee of whole; third reading May 16 1269
passed; transmitted May 16 1274
returned; amended; concurred in; effect July 1, 1893; referred for enrollment May 19 1366
reported enrolled May 22 1393
approved May 29 1606

227. A bill to fix the salaries of the State officers named in the constitution of this State:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on judiciary February 17 357
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 3 1104
reported; general order May 20 1377
committee of whole; third reading May 20 1388
not passed; reconsidered; tabled May 22 1410

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taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 23 ... 1423
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1594
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1607
approved May 29 ... 1613
228. A bill to amend section 173 of the laws of 1871, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of the salaries of State officers," as amended, the same being compiler's section 339 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on judiciary February 17 ... 357
229. A bill in relation to jurors in courts of record in the county of Wayne, to provide a board of jury commissioners for said county, and to revise the laws relative thereto, and to repeal act No. 95 of the session laws of 1887, and all other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this bill:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 17 ... 358
proposed substitute ordered printed for committee March 24 ... 814
file No. 180.
230. A bill to limit appeals to the Supreme Court of this State:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 17 ... 358
231. A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to amend sections 7, 30, 36 and 42 of article 2 and sections 3 and 5 of article 3, and section 14 of article 4, and to add two new sections to article 2 to stand as sections 45 and 46, and a new section to article 5 to stand as section 22 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads, and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,'" approved May 1, 1873, being act No. 198, session laws of 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1891:
introduced by Mr. Burt; referred to committee on railroads February 17 ... 358
ordered printed for committee March 1 ... 536
file No. 111.
reported; rules suspended; tabled May 19 ... 1368
232. A bill to regulate primary elections of political parties in this State, to punish frauds therein and to repeal all laws in conflict therewith:
introduced by Mr. Hough; referred to committee on elections February 17 ... 358
233. A bill empowering the Governor and the Board of State Auditors to authorize the rebuilding or repair of any building owned by the State of Michigan which may at any time be destroyed or damaged by fire, explosion or other accident, and the purchase of property to take the place of any property of the State lost, damaged or destroyed by any such fire or accident, and making a contingent appropriation therefor:
introduced by Mr. Mellen; referred to committee on State affairs February 17 ... 358
reported; general order March 16 ... 707
file No. 163.
committee of whole; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 23 ... 792
234. A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same:
introduced by Mr. Morrow; referred to committee on labor interests February 17 ... 358
ordered printed for committee March 17 ... 722
reported; substitute: A bill to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments of this State, to provide for the inspection and regulation of such manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the enforcement of such regulation and inspection; agreed to; general order April 20 ... 997
committee of whole; ordered reprinted April 21 ... 1025
file No. 224.
committee of whole; third reading May 2 ... 1094
not passed; reconsidered; tabled May 2 ... 1096

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taken up; general order May 10 1184
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 22 1398
passed; transmitted May 23 1423
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 25 1536
reported enrolled May 26 1601
approved May 29 1613

235. A bill relative to exemptions in certain cases:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 377
reported; tabled March 22 760
taken up; referred to committee on liquor traffic May 10 1186

236. A bill to appropriate money to furnish the Central Michigan Normal School and Business Institute, and to provide funds for the running expenses for the years 1893 and 1894:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on normal school February 20 378

237. A bill to authorize justices of the peace and of all police courts having jurisdiction in cases of disorderly persons to make a special sentence for certain offenses and offenders and to enforce such special sentences:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 378
ordered printed for committee February 24 450
file No. 100.
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to authorize the courts, justices of the peace and police justices of this State to permit those charged and complained against as disorderly persons on account of drunkenness or intoxication to give a special recognizance conditioned for such person taking the cure, for such drunkenness and intoxication and for the adjournment of such case against such person for a limited time for this purpose and to provide the means for carrying out the same; agreed to; general order April 12 920
file No. 206.
ordered reprinted April 18 970
file No. 211.
committee of whole discharged; made special order for May 2, April 27 .. 1075
taken from special order; placed on general order May 2 1093
committee of whole; third reading May 2 1093
tabled May 2 1094
taken up; amended; passed; effect 30 days from final adjournment; transmitted May 4 1123
returned; referred for enrollment May 24 1464
reported enrolled May 24 1475

238. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 313 of the session laws of 1887, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and the regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving or delivering spirituous and intoxicating liquors and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," being compiler's section 2283c[4] Vol 3 of Howell's annotated statutes of this State:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on liquor traffic February 20 378

239. A bill to make an appropriation for the expenses of the commissioners for the promotion of uniformity of legislation in the United States:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 20 378

240. A bill to authorize the incorporation of associations for the improvement of municipal affairs:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 378
reported; general order March 2 568
committee of whole; amended; ordered printed; third reading March 3 .. 599
file No. 128.
amended; tabled March 14 673

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241. A bill in relation to jurors in courts of record in the county of Wayne, and the police and justices' courts of the city of Detroit, and to revise the laws relative thereto, and to repeal all acts inconsistent with and contravening the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 ... 378

242. A bill to license foreign sportsmen, and prescribing a penalty for such sportsmen hunting or fishing within the borders of this State without first paying such license:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on fisheries February 20 378

243. A bill to authorize and provide for the enrollment, organization, equipment, maintenance and discipline of the naval militia of this State:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on military affairs February 20 ... 379
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to provide for the enrollment, organization, equipment, maintenance and discipline of the naval militia of the State; agreed to; general order May 17 ... 1305
file No. 254.
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 22 ... 1410
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 23 ... 1424
returned; referred for enrollment May 24 ... 1454
reported enrolled May 26 ... 1553

244. A bill to amend act 136, laws of 1887, relative to blowers for emery wheels and belts:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on labor interests February 20 ... 379
reported; third reading May 26 ...
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 26 ...

245. A bill to provide for the uniform platting of all property within five miles of the present limits of the city of Detroit, to conform so far as practicable, to the general plan of the city:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 ... 379

246. A bill to amend section 9 of article 2 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, being an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," as amended by act 177 of the session laws of 1877, and act 230 of the public acts of 1887, and act 202 of the public acts of 1889, and act 90 of the public acts of 1891:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on railroads February 20 ... 379
ordered printed for committee March 1 ... 536
file No. 112.
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 15 684
rules suspended; not passed May 26 ...

247. A bill to amend act No. 264 of the public acts of 1889, relative to disorderly persons, and to add a new section thereto:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; tabled February 20 ... 379

248. A bill to require all persons, corporations, joint stock companies or associations leasing to other persons, corporations, associations or joint stock companies, mineral lands located in this State for the purpose of mining ores therefrom to pay a specific tax upon the amount of such ores subject to taxation:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 ... 379
ordered printed for committee April 27 ... 1057
file No. 225.

249. A bill to limit appeals to the supreme court of this State:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 ... 380

250. A bill to amend section 127 of chapter 249, being compiler's section 6940 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to courts held by justices of the peace:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 ... 380

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reported; general order April 6 881
file No. 192.
committee of whole; third reading April 11 918
not passed; reconsidered; tabled April 13 936
251. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 32 of the public acts of Michigan for 1891, being an act entitled "An act requiring certain of the regular terms of the circuit court for the county of Iosco to be hereafter held in the city of Au Sable:"
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 380
252. A bill to amend act No. 96 of the public acts of 1887, relative to salaries of justices of the supreme court, approved May 11, 1887, so as to require said justices to reside during their terms of office in the city of Lansing:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 380
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to amend section 14 of act 146 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1857, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the supreme court, pursuant to section 2 of article 6 of the constitution," approved February 16, 1857, as amended, relative to salaries of justices of the supreme court, and requiring them to reside during their terms of office in the city of Lansing, being compiler's section 6393 of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan;
agreed to; general order May 19 1339
file No. 255.
committee of whole; third reading May 23 1443
passed May 24 1466
notice given of motion to reconsider May 24 1467
notice of motion to reconsider withdrawn; transmitted May 26 1558
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 1598
reported enrolled May 29 1607
253. A bill providing for the payment of a license fee on railway sleeping cars, regulating fare charged, and regulating the method of operating berths of said sleeping cars:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on railroads February 20 380
file No. 87.
254. A bill to protect State, charitable and reformatory institutions from the introduction of contagious and infectious diseases, and from the expense of the transmittal of epileptics:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; ordered printed and referred to committee on public health February 20 380
file No. 88.
reported; general order May 19 1370
committee of whole; third reading May 22 1397
recommitted May 23 1421
reported; general order May 24 1459
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1502
255. A bill to amend section No. 2 of act No. 169 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for a central board of control which shall have the management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, the Michigan School for the Blind at Lansing, and the Michigan School for the Deaf at Flint, to prescribe the powers of said board and to abolish the present boards of said institutions, and to repeal all laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Champion; referred to committee on State affairs February 20 380
reported adversely; tabled March 1 534
taken up; general order April 17 960
file No. 213.
committee of whole discharged; tabled April 18 966
taken up; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 23 1
reported; general order May 25 1
passed; transmitted May 26 1
256. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 140 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for a State board of inspectors who shall perform the duties now performed by the advisory board in the matter of pardons, and

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who shall have the complete management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform School for Boys at Lansing, and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to abolish all existing boards and to annul all existing appointments:"
introduced by Mr. Champion; referred to committee on State affairs February 20 ... 381
reported adversely; tabled March 1 ... 533
taken up; general order April 17 ... 960
file No. 214.
committee of whole discharged; tabled April 18 ...
267. A bill to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employés and to authorize the creation of a State board of mediation and arbitration:
introduced by Mr. Champion; referred to committee on labor interests February 20 ... 381
reported; general order May 12 ... 1227
file No. 248.
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1506
268. A bill to provide separate grades for railroads and public highways and streets when railroads intersect such highways or streets in the city of Detroit or on the boundary between Detroit and Wayne county:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 ... 381
269. A bill to amend sections 13 and 17 of act No. 35, of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to provide for the formation of street railway companies," as amended by acts numbered 131 and 222 of the session laws of 1889:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 ... 381
reported; general order February 28 ... 474
committee of whole; third reading February 28 ... 478
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 28 ... 483
returned; referred for enrollment March 2 ... 580
reported enrolled March 6 ... 604
approved March 6 ... 604
260. A bill to amend sections 2, 3 4, 7, 14, 15 and 17 of an act entitled "An act relative to free schools in the city of Detroit," approved February 24, 1869, as amended by acts amendatory thereof, the same being act No. 233 of the public acts of 1869:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on education and public schools February 20 ... 381
ordered printed for committee May 13 ... 1246
file No. 251.
261. A bill to establish a board of childrens' guardians in counties having a population of more than 100,000 persons, defining the powers and duties of said board, providing for the establishment and maintaining of homes under the care of said board:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on State affairs February 20 ... 381
262. A bill to provide for the control and management of the State Industrial Home for Girls, at Adrian, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on Institution for Deaf and Dumb February 20 ... 382
reported; referred to committee on Industrial Home for Girls March 2 ... 573
reported; general order April 19 ... 973
file No. 215.
committee of whole; third reading April 26 ... 1049
passed; transmitted April 27 ... 1063
returned; amended; title amended; concurred in; immediate effect; motion to reconsider tabled May 19 ... 1358
requested by House and retransmitted May 20 ... 1378
returned; referred for enrollment May 24 ... 1462
reported enrolled May 25 ... 1528
approved May 29 ... 1612

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263. A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State Public School for the years 1893 and 1894; for the sale and conveyance of land, for the purchase of additional land, for making improvements at that institution, and to provide a tax for the same:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on State public schools February 20 ... 382
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to authorize the central board of control to sell and convey a parcel of land and to authorize the purchase of additional adjoining land for the use of the State Public School and to provide a tax for the payment of the same; agreed to; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 11 ...
264. A bill to provide for the sale by the board of trustees of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane, of land held by the State for the use and benefit of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo, and to expend the proceeds of such sale for the purchase of other lands, by the said board of trustees of the said asylum:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on asylums for the insane February 20 ... 382
reported; general order February 25 ... 458
file No. 103.
committee of whole; third reading March 3 ... 599
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 6 ... 611
returned; referred for enrollment May 11 ... 1196
reported enrolled May 12 ... 1235
approved May 15 ... 1250
265. A bill specifying duties of health authorities, providing for a public sanitary meeting, annually, in each township, city and village, and for the adoption of estimates for ordinary sanitary work and expenditures:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on public health February 20 ... 382
reported; general order May 12 ... 1228
file No. 249.
committee of whole; third reading May 22 ... 1397
passed; transmitted May 23 ... 1421
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1611
266. A bill to make an appropriation for special investigations, and inspections, and otherwise to increase the efficiency of the State Board of Health in restricting dangerous diseases:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on public health February 20 ... 382
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 22 761
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to make an appropriation for special investigations and inspections, and otherwise to increase the efficiency of the State Board of Health in restricting dangerous diseases; agreed to; general order April 12 ... 922
file No. 207.
committee of whole; third reading April 19 ... 985
passed; immediate effect; transmitted April 20 ... 1004
267. A bill to amend act No. 186 of the public acts of 1891, approved July 2, 1891, entitled "An act to authorize the cities and villages of this State to provide for the lighting of their streets and other public places therein by means of electricity or other lights:"
introduced by Mr. Sabin; tabled February 20 ... 383
taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages March 23 ... 790
proposed substitute ordered printed March 23 ... 794
file No. 179.
268. A bill to amend Sec. 13 of Chap. 167, compiled laws of 1871, Sec. 6196 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Crane; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 383
269. A bill to provide for the appointment of a board to examine and admit attorneys, counselors and solicitors, and to define the duties and fix the compensation of the same, and to repeal all existing acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Crane; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 ... 383

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270. A bill to regulate the crossing of railroad tracks by lines of train railway, electric and street railway lines and tracks:
introduced by Mr. Crane; referred to committee on railroads February 20 383
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to regulate the crossing of roads, streets and tracks crossed and intersected by steam train, electric, cable and street railway companies or corporations in this State; agreed to; ordered printed in Journal; general order May 17 1306
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1506

271. A bill to regulate the height of trolly wires and other mechanical devices necessary to be placed over railroads:
introduced by Mr. Crane; referred to committee on railroads February 20 383
reported; general order April 27 1059
file No. 227.
committee of whole; third reading May 9 1155
passed; transmitted May 10 1175

272. A bill making appropriations for the Michigan School for the Deaf for the years 1893 and 1894:
introduced by Mr. Crane; referred to committee on institution for the deaf and dumb February 20 383
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 15 681
reported; general order March 23 778
file No. 176.
committee of whole; third reading March 28 832
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 29 847
returned; referred for enrollment May 18 1327
reported enrolled May 22 1393
approved May 24 1478

273. A bill to provide for the commencement and maintenance of suits or proceedings at law or in equity against the State of Michigan in cases where real estate has been heretofore or may be hereafter bid in to this State for delinquent taxes under any general tax law thereof:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 383
reported; general order March 2 571
file No. 125.
committee of whole; tabled March 15 694

274. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 277 of the local acts of the State of Michigan of the year 1885, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Manistique," approved March 17, 1885, and all subsequent amendments of such section:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 383

275. A bill to provide for incorporating the record of proceedings had on motions for new trials in bills of exceptions:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 384
reported; general order March 20 743
file No. 168.
recommitted March 27 820
reported; general order April 6 881
committee of whole; third reading April 11 919
passed; transmitted April 13 938
returned; referred for enrollment May 25 1520
reported enrolled May 26 1554
approved May 29 1612

276. A bill to provide for indeterminate sentences and disposition, management and release of criminals under such sentence;
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 384
ordered printed for committee February 27 471
file No. 105.

277. A bill to amend sections 6 and 7 of act No. 200 of the session laws of 1885, being "An act to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons," approved June 17, 1885:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 384
ordered printed for use of committee February 27 471
file No. 106.

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reported; general order May 9 1145
taken up; general order May 9 .....
committee of whole; tabled May 22 1398
278. A bill defining the position and to provide for the treatment of convicts licensed to be at large:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 .. 384
ordered printed for use of committee February 27 471
file No. 107.
reported; general order May 9 1145
committee of whole; third reading May 22 1396
tabled May 22 1413
279. A bill to preserve the purity of elections and guard against the abuse of the elective franchise by a registration of electors, and to repeal act No. 177 of the laws of Michigan of 1859, approved February 14, 1859:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on elections February 20 384
ordered printed for committee March 8 644
file No. 130.
280. A bill to regulate the docketing of appeal cases in the circuit court for the third judicial circuit:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 384
ordered printed for committee March 16 707
file No. 157.
281. A bill to regulate fishing in Wild Fowl bay:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on fisheries February 20 384
ordered printed for committee March 28 825
file No. 185.
reported; general order May 16 1255
committee of whole; discharged; third reading May 25 1506
282. A bill in relation to taxation of property in the city of Detroit:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 384
283. A bill to regulate the apportionment of business and causes in the third judicial circuit of this State:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 385
ordered printed for committee March 16 706
file No. 158.
284. A bill to amend section 10 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of manufacturing companies except such as are contemplated by act No. 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manufacture of salt and mercantile companies or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations," approved June 20, 1885, session laws of 1885, being section 4137 of Howell's annotated statutes, relating to declaring annual dividends of net profits when they exceed 10 per cent on the capital invested:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 20 385
285. A bill to amend sections 1, 3, 4 and 5 of an act to provide for three additional judges for the third judicial circuit, approved March, 1887:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 385
ordered printed for committee March 16 706
file No. 159.
286. A bill to provide for the inspection of lands delinquent for taxes for a period of five years or more for their acquirement by the State and for the subsequent care, control and sale thereof by the State:
introduced by Mr. Mears; referred to committee on taxation February 20 385
287. A bill to establish an advisory board in the matter of pardons and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 385

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288. A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of Dowagiac and acts amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 ... 385
file No. 86.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 8 ... 634
returned; referred for enrollment March 15 ... 687
reported enrolled March 20 ... 745
approved March 20 ... 746

289. A bill to create an advisory board to examine and advise in the matter of pardons, to be known as the "State advisory board in the matter of pardons," and to prescribe its powers and duties:
introduced by Mr. Wilkins; referred to committee on State Prison February 20 ... 385

290. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 186 of the public acts of 1867, entitled "An act to authorize dissection in certain cases for the advancement of science," approved March 27, 1867, as amended by act 113 of the public acts of 1871, act 138 of the public acts of 1875, act No. 16 of the public acts of 1881, and act No. 83 of the public acts of 1885, the same being compiler's section 2284 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 ... 386
reported; referred to committee on public health March 14 ... 670
reported; ordered printed for committee April 7 ... 897
file No. 197.
reported; general order May 16 ... 1267
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1506
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 26 ... 1570
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1611

291. A bill to detach the township of Gibson from the county of Bay and attach the same to the county of Arenac:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; referred to committee on counties and townships February 20 ... 386

292. A bill to amend section 7127 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 8686 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to writs of error as amended by act No. 151 of the public acts of 1889, approved June 17, 1889:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 ... 386
reported; general order March 15 ... 679
file No. 154.
committee of whole; third reading April 5 ... 876
passed; transmitted April 6 ... 886
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1609

293. A bill authorizing the village of St. Johns to borrow money for purpose of paving streets and constructing sewers:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 ... 386

294. A bill empowering the Board of State Auditors to sell at public auction lots 13, 14 and 15 of the Board of State Auditors subdivision of block 115, city of Lansing, and to cover the proceeds of such sale into the State treasury to the credit of the general fund:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on State affairs February 20 ... 386

295. A bill to amend act No. 290 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of St. Johns" and the acts amendatory thereto:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 ... 387
reported; substitute having same title; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 17 ... 1303
returned; substitute; title to read as follows: A bill to amend act No. 290 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of St. Johns," and the acts amendatory thereto, and to add three new sections to article 6 of said act to stand as sections 8, 9 and 10, relative to bonding the village of St. Johns for sewerage purposes; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 19 ... 1342

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reported enrolled May 22 1393
approved May 24 1477
296. A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 157 of the session laws of 1891, entitled "An act for the relief of the supreme court by authorizing the justices thereof to employ clerical help and appropriating money to pay for the same," approved June 24, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 387
297. A bill authorizing the improvement of the channel of the Maple river in the counties of Clinton and Gratiot; providing for the appointment of a commission to supervise said improvement; to define their powers and duties and to fix their compensation; authorizing the townships benefited to borrow money for the improvement of said channel and to issue bonds therefor; and to provide for the levy of taxes therein to pay the same:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on counties and villages February 20 387
298. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 152 of the session laws of 1889, being "An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 29 of the public acts of 1887," approved March 15, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows:"
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on State affairs February 20 387
reported; general order March 28 826
file No. 181.
committee of whole; third reading April 11 917
not passed; reconsidered; tabled April 13 933
taken up; passed; title amended to read: A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 152 of the session laws of 1889, being "An act to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 29 of the public acts of 1887," approved March 15, 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows," as amended by act No. 152 of the public acts of 1889; immediate effect; transmitted April 21 1016
returned; referred for enrollment April 26 1053
reported enrolled April 28 1079
approved May 3 1105
299. A bill to limit the terms of certain municipal officers in cities of this State:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 387
300. A bill to provide for the collection and compilation of statistics of indigence and poverty:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on labor interests February 20 387
reported; general order April 7 897
file No. 199.
committee of whole; tabled April 21 1025
301. A bill to prohibit the attaching of passenger coaches to the rear of loaded freight trains on railroads in this State, and prescribing a penalty for the violation of such prohibition:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on railroads February 20 387
302. A bill to amend act No. 109 of the public acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1857, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the feeing of an attorney when appointed by the court," and being sections 9046, 9047 and 9048 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 388
reported; general order March 8 625
file No. 131.
committee of whole; third reading March 16 719
passed; title amended to read: "A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 109 of the laws of Michigan for 1857, entitled 'An act to provide for feeing an attorney when appointed by the court,' approved February 14, 1857, being compiler's section 9946 of 2 Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan;" transmitted March 17 731
returned; referred for enrollment May 11 1195
reported enrolled May 12 1235
approved May 25 1526

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303. A bill to appropriate twenty-five thousand dollars to erect and equip a building for physical education and training at the State Normal School at Ypsilanti:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on State Normal School February 20 ... 388
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 21 ... 753
reported; special order for May 16, May 12 ... 1224
file No. 245.
committee of whole; third reading May 16 ... 1258
tabled May 16 ... 1272
taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 16 ... 1272
returned; referred for enrollment May 19 ... 1361
reported enrolled May 22 ... 1392
approved May 29 ... 1613

304. A bill to authorize the issue of interchangeable railroad tickets by the Railroad Commissioner of this State:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on railroads February 20 388

305. A bill to require foreign insurance companies to give security for the payment of losses in certain cases:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on insurance February 20 ... 388
ordered printed for use of committee March 1 ... 535
file No. 113.

306. A bill to provide for taking the census and statistics of this State:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on State affairs, February 20 ... 388
proposed substitute ordered printed May 11 ... 1207
file No. 240.
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to provide for taking a census of the population and industries of this State; agreed to; general order May 23 ... 1425
made special order for tomorrow, May 23 ... 1440
committee of whole; third reading May 24 ... 1458
not passed; reconsidered; tabled May 25 ... 1512
taken up; referred to committee on State affairs May 26 ... 1576
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to provide for taking the census and statistics of this State; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 26 ... 1578
returned with substitute, concurred in; immediate effect; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1584

307. A bill to revise and amend certain parts and sections of the "Act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 15, 1885, and the several acts amendatory thereof:
introduced by Mr. French; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 ... 397
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to amend section 4 of chapter 1; sections 2 and 3 of chapter 2; sections 3, 5, 8, 10 and 15 of chapter 3; section 2, chapter 4; sections 3, 4 and 6 of chapter 5; section 6 of chapter 6; sections of 3, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 48 and 54 of chapter 7; sections 1, 3, 4 and 7 of chapter 8; sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 14, 15, 17, 19, 22 and 25 of chapter 14; sections 6, 7 and 18 of chapter 15; sections 1, 2, 5 and 6 of chapter 16; sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14 and 35 of chapter 17; section 2 of chapter 21 of act number 390 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885, and the amendments thereto, and to repeal section 20 of chapter 16 of said act, and to add thereto two new sections to stand as section 9 of chapter 5, and section 11 of chapter 12 of said act; agreed to; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 17 ... 1279
returned; referred for enrollment May 18 ... 1326
reported enrolled May 22 ... 1392
approved May 24 ... 1477

308. A bill to restrain improper influencing of jurors:
introduced by Mr. French; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 398
reported; tabled March 7 ... 620

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309. A bill to amend act No. 147 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a county commissioner of schools, for the appointment of school examiners and to define the duties and fix the compensation for the same, and to repeal all existing acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act by adding one section thereto to stand as section 15:
introduced by Mr. French; referred to committee on education and public schools February 21 ... 398
reported; general order March 9 ... 652
file No. 140.
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 30 ... 867
passed; transmitted April 5 ... 874

310. A bill to amend sections 3 and 4 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act relative to free schools in the city of Grand Rapids," approved March 15, 1871 (which said revision was approved May 9, 1877), and the several acts amendatory thereof:
introduced by Mr. Doran; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 ... 398
reported; ordered printed for committee March 8 ... 624
file No. 132.
reported with substitute entitled: A bill so amend sections 2, 3, 4 and 13 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act, entitled 'An act relative to free schools in the city of Grand Rapids,'" approved March 15, 1871, which said revision was approved May 9, 1877, and the several acts amendatory thereof; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 16 ... 1257
returned; referred for enrollment May 17 ... 1296
reported enrolled May 18 ... 1328
approved May 24 ... 1477

311. A bill to provide for the parole of inmates of the State Prison at Jackson:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on State Prison February 21 ... 398

312. A bill for the creation of inquests on fires and the accumulation and reporting of fire statistics:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on insurance February 21 398
reported; ordered printed for committee March 14 ... 671
file No. 145.

313. A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 148 of the session laws of 1881, being "An act to prevent the soliciting or issuing of unauthorized fire or inland marine insurance policies in this State," being section 4357 of chapter 137, Howell's statutes:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on insurance February 21 ... 398
reported; ordered printed for committee March 1 ... 534
file No. 114.
reported; rules suspended; placed on order of third reading May 25 ...

314. A bill to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to establish an insurance bureau," approved April 13, 1871, being compiler's section 4213, Howell's statutes:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on insurance February 21 ... 398
reported; ordered printed for committee March 1 ... 534
file No. 115.

315. A bill to provide for the location, erection, organization and management of an asylum for chronic insane:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to a special committee of three February 21 ... 399
reported; ordered printed for committee March 1 ... 537
file No. 116.

316. A bill to amend act No. 159, laws of 1891, entitled "An act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland lakes of this State:"
introduced by Mr. Mears; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 ... 399
reported; referred to committee on fisheries March 16 ... 708

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reported; ordered printed for committee March 28 825
file No. 184.
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 159, session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland waters of this State," approved June 24, 1991; agreed to; general order April 11 912
file No. 205.
committee of whole; third reading April 18 969
passed; immediate effect; transmitted April 19 982
returned with amendments; non-concurred in; reconsidered; tabled May 25 1519
taken up; House amendments concurred in; referred for enrollment May 26 1576
reported enrolled May 29 1607

317. A bill to authorize the village of East Jordan, in the county of Charlevoix, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor, and to provide for the levying of taxes therein to pay the same:
introduced by Mr. Mears; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 399
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 15 697
returned; referred for enrollment May 9 1154
reported enrolled May 10 1161
approved May 11 1187

318. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 336 of the local acts of 1879, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Charlevoix, as amended:"
introduced by Mr. Mears; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 399

319. A bill to amend sections 9 and 10 of act No. 276, session laws of 1889, as amended by act No. 152, session laws of 1891, entitled an act for the protection of game:
introduced by Mr. Mears (by request); referred to committee on State affairs February 21 399
reported; general order April 6 883
file No. 195.
committee of whole; third reading April 13 945
passed; transmitted April 14 951
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1609

320. A bill making an appropriation for the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1893 and 1894:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on School for the Blind February 21 399

321. A bill to provide for the selection of candidates for municipal office in the city of Detroit:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 399

322. A bill as to weights and measures, and to amend section 1568 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 400

323. A bill as to time of maturity of promissory notes, checks, drafts and bills of exchange:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 400

324. A bill to amend section 1581 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 400
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 24

325. A bill to amend section 5805 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 400

326. A bill to amend section 6263 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 400

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327. A bill to amend section 6261 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 400
328. A bill to amend section 6231 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 400
329. A bill in relation to the sealing and attestation of deeds and other written instruments:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 400
330. A bill relating to acknowledgments of written instruments:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 400
331. A bill to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Michigan, and to provide suitable penalties for violation thereof:
introduced by Mr. Champion (by request), tabled February 21 ... 400
332. A bill making an appropriation for the general expenses of the State government, salaries of State officers, the expenses of the State departments, and the expenses of the Legislature for the years 1893 and 1894, and to provide a tax for such purposes:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committe on State affairs February 21 401
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 16 .. 1264
reported; general order May 25 ... 1527
committee of whole; third reading May 25 ...
read third time; pending vote, tabled May 25 ...
taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 26 ... 1549
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1597
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1607
approved May 29 ... 1613
333. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 171 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act establishing a State agency for juvenile offenders," approved April 29, 1873, as amended by act No. 37 of the public acts of 1875, as amended by act No. 168 of the session laws of 1885, as amended by act No. 295 of the session laws of 1887, amended by act No. 187 of the public acts of 1889, and being compiler's section No. 9894 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 401
reported; general order March 29 ... 844
file No. 188.
committee of whole; third reading April 20 ... 1007
read third time; tabled April 21 ... 1019
taken up; passed; transmitted May 12 ... 1232
334. A bill to make an annual appropriation for the publication of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the superintendents of the poor for this State:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 21 ... 401
reported; general order April 20 ... 991
file No. 218.
committee of whole; third reading May 2 ... 1089
passed; transmitted May 2 ... 1092
335. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 87 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provi le for the appropriation of money to pay the salary of the Attorney General, clerks and certaln expenses in such department and to provide the manner and condition of payment and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 ... 401
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 20 .. 1377
reported; general order May 23 ... 1427
committee of whole; third reading May 23 ... 1441
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 24 ... 1476
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1597
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1607
approved May 29 ... 1613

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336. A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 47 of the public acts of 1891, approved April 30, 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the committing pauper insane persons to the Wayne county insane asylum, and for the transfer of such persons to the State asylum, and from the State asylum to the said county asylum, and to provide for the support and maintenance of such insane persons:"
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on asylums for the insane February 21 401

337. A bill to provide for State boards of control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia, the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform School for Boys at Lansing, and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to abolish the existing State board of inspection and to annul all existing appointments:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 401

338. A bill to provide for the examination of candidates for admission to the Agricultural College by the county commissioners of schools:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on Agricultural College February 21 402
reported; general order April 28 1077
file No. 230.
committee of whole; third reading May 9 1155
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 11 1206
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1610

339. A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for a central board of control which shall have the management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, the Michigan School for the Blind at Lansing, the Michigan School for the Deaf at Flint, to prescribe the powers of said board, to abolish the present boards of said institutions and to repeal all laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved June 26, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 402

340. A bill for the protection of fish in the lakes and streams of the county of St. Joseph, State of Michigan, for a period of two years from and after the passage of this act:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 402
reported; referred to committee on fisheries March 16 709

341. A bill to vacate the sixteenth judicial circuit, and to reorganize the thirty-first judicial circuit:
introduced by Mr. McGinley (by request); tabled on introduction February 21 402
taken up; referred to committee on judiciary May 18 1338
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to require the judge of the 16th judicial circuit to hold terms of court of the 31st judicial circuit in certain cases, and also to require the judge of the 31st judicial circuit to hold the terms of the 16th judicial circuit when the resident judge may be disqualified from acting on the trial, or whenever the expedition of the business of either of said circuits may necessitate additional assistance; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 23 1426
returned; referred for enrollment May 24 1480
reported enrolled May 25 1528

342. A bill to provide for the annexing of the township of White Rock in the county of Huron, to the township of Sherman in said county:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; tabled on introduction February 21 402
taken up; ordered printed and referred to committee on counties and townships March 15 691
file No. 148.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 24 813
returned; referred for enrollment May 24 1480
reported enrolled May 25 1529
approved May 29 1612

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343. A bill to forfeit all unearned swamp lands in Sanilac county, Michigan, heretofore granted for drainage purposes:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; tabled on introduction February 21 403

344. A bill to regulate the sale, manufacture and use of cigarettes within the State of Michigan, and providing a penalty for same:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; tabled on introduction February 21 403

345. A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations for establishing scholarships in the University of Michigan for the benefit of graduates of the high schools of this State:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on University February 21 403
reported; general order March 20 743
file No. 167.
committee of whole; third reading March 28 831
passed; transmitted March 28 839
returned with substitute entitled: A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of establishing scholarships in the University of Michigan, for the benefit of graduates of the high schools of this State; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 22 1403
reported enrolled May 23 1425

346. A bill in relation to jurors in courts of record in the county of Wayne, and the police and justice courts of the city of Detroit, and to revise the laws relative thereto, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with and contravening the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 403

347. A bill to amend sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 18, 22, 25, 47 and 48 of chapter 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883 as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 403

348. A bill to amend section 36 of chapter 90 of the revised statutes of 1846, being compiler's section 3490 of the compiled laws of 1857, compiler's section 5071 of the compiled laws of 1871, and section 6626 of the general statutes of the State of Michigan, annotated by Andrew Howell, entitled "of the court of chancery:"
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 403

349. A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 18, 22, 47 and 48, of chapter 12, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 404

350. A bill to amend sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 18, 22, 25, 47 and 48 of chapter 12 of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, as amenned by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 404

351. A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 18, 22, 47 and 48, of chapter 12, of an act entitled "An act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith:
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 17 1304
returned; referred for enrollment May 23 1436
reported enrolled May 24 1468
approved May 24 1613

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352. A bill to amend sections 5, 14, 21, 24, 25, 26 and 29 of an act entitled "An act relating to burying grounds," approved February 12, 1855, being sections 4732, 4741, 4748, 4751, 4752, 4753 and 4756 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add a new section to said act:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 404
reported; general order May 11 1204
committee of whole; tabled May 22 1398

353. A bill to amend act 3 of 1889, as amended by act No. 163 of 1891, entitled "An act to protect fish and to regulate fishing in the waters of this State by providing close seasons for certain kinds of fish, by prohibiting the catching of fish in certain specified ways, by prohibiting the catching of fish of certain sizes and in certain waters and for certain purposes, by prohibiting the obstruction of the free passage of fish, to protect persons engaged in fish culture and to repeal inconsistent acts:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 404
reported; referred to committee on fisheries March 16 708
reported; ordered printed for committee March 28 825
file No. 183.

354. A bill to amend act No. 28, laws of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a game and fish warden and to prescribe his powers and duties:"
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 104

355. A bill to regulate the possession, use, transportation and sale of fish and game:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 405
reported; ordered printed for committee, April 27 1058
file No. 229.
reported; general order May 9 1140
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1506
passed; transmitted May 26 1587
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 1600
reported enrolled May 29 1608

356. A bill to revise and amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 21, 1865, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof, approved March 30, 1881:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 405
reported; substituted; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 24 805
returned amended; pending concurrence, referred to committee on cities and villages April 26 1049
reported; House amendments non-concurred in; vote reconsidered; tabled May 3 1100
taken up; House amendments concurred in; House amended title agreed to, viz.: A bill to amend sections 62, 78, 106, 130, 149, 150, 158, 173, 175 and 177 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City, approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof; referred for enrollment May 4 1125
reported enrolled May 9 1140
approved May 13 1240

357. A bill to amend sections 3, 11, 27, 28, 30, 78 and 168 of an act entitled "An act to revise an act to incorporate the city of Bay City," approved March 30, 1881, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 405
reported; rules suspended; read third time; general order March 1 530
committee of whole discharged; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 1 539
motion to request House to return bill defeated 584
returned; referred for enrollment March 3 594

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reported enrolled March 9 ... 659
approved March 13 ... 662
358. A bill to amend sections 20, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, the same being sections 3334, 3335 and 3336 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on railroads February 21 405
reported; ordered printed for committee March 1 ... 536
file No. 117,
reported; general order May 17 ... 1305
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1596
passed; transmitted May 26 ... 1587
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1611
359. A bill to regulate common carriers and creating the railroad and warehouse commission of Michigan, and defining the duties of such commission in relation to common carriers:
introduced by Mr. Ginley; referred to committee on judiciary and railroads, jointly, February 21 ... 405
reported; ordered printed for committee April 10 ... 903
file No. 201.
360. A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, being act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873; to provide for the taxation of railroad property, and to repeal the following: Section 33 of an act approved March 28, 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company." Section 21 of an act approved May 4, 1886, entitled "An act to incorporate the Grand River Valley Railroad Company." Section 2 of an act approved May 18, 1846, entitled "An act in regard to the Erie and Kalamazoo Railroad Company." Section 31 of an act approved May 9, 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Southern Railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Southern Railroad Company. And section 9 of an act approved February 13, 1859, entitled "An act to authorize the consolidation of the Detroit & Pontiac and the Oakland & Ottawa Railroad Company so as to form a continuous line from Detroit to Lake Michigan, under the name of the Detroit & Milwaukee Railroad Company."
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committe on judiciary and railroads, jointly, February 21 ... 405
reported; ordered printed for committee April 12 ... 920
file No. 208.
361. A bill to repeal act No. 42 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central Railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company," and all acts amendatory thereof:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary and railroads, jointly February 21 ... 406
reported; referred to special committee on railroad taxation March 29 ... 845
362. A bill to regulate certain foreign secret or fraternal life insurance corporations and associations:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on insurance February 21 ... 406
reported; ordered printed for committee March 29 ... 845
file No. 187.
363. A bill making an appropriation of moneys for the branch of the Michigan State Prison at Marquette:
introduced by Mr. Pascoe; referred to committee on House of Correction at Marquette February 21 ... 406
reported substituted; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 11 ... 911
364. A bill to disorganize the township of Clifton in the county of Keweenaw, and attach the territory of said township to the township of Allouez:
introduced by Mr. Pascoe; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 ... 406

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reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 2 ... 569
returned; referred for enrollment March 3 ... 595
reported enrolled March 9 ... 659
approved March 13 ... 663

365. A bill to repeal sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1883, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the location, erection, organization and management of an asylum for insane criminals," the same being sections 1943c to 1943h inclusive of Howell's annotated statutes, volume 3, and section 1 of act No. 181 of the public acts of 1891, which is an act amendatory thereto, and to substitute new sections in lieu thereof:
introduced by Mr. Crane; referred to committee on Asylum for the Criminal Insane February 21 ... 406

366. A bill to organize the township of Rudyard, county of Chippewa:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 ... 407
reported; general order March 2 ... 569
file No. 123.
committee of whole; third reading March 16 ... 719
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 17 ... 732

367. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Inwood and attach the same to the township of Harrison in Schoolcraft county, Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 ... 407
reported; general order March 2 ... 569
file No. 122.
committee of whole; third reading March 15 ... 694
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 16 ... 718
returned; referred for enrollment March 17 ... 736
reported enrolled March 20 ... 745
approved March 20 ... 746

368. A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, for the purchase of grounds and the construction of school buildings and to issue bonds therefor:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on education and public schools February 21 ... 407
reported adversely; tabled March 24 ... 807
taken up; recommitted April 27 ... 1062
reported with substitute entitled; A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, and to issue bonds therefor; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 2 ... 1091
returned; referred for enrollment May 3 ... 1110
reported enrolled May 4 ... 1126
approved May 5 ... 1133

369. A bill to provide a standard classification for nursery stock, to regulate the sale of good stock, to prescribe a license and a license fee for nursery agents and to prescribe penalties for violations of its provisions:
introduced by Mr. Mugford; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 407

370. A bill to revise the charter of the city of Mount Pleasant, Isabella county:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; tabled February 21 ... 407
taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages, March 6 ... 609
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to amend the charter of the city of Mt. Pleasant in Isabella county; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; title amended to read as follows: A bill to amend section one of chapter one, section one of chapter three, section seven of chapter sixteen, section four of chapter nineteen, and section one of chapter twenty-two of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Mt. Pleasant in Isabella county, being act No. 264 of the session laws of 1891," approved March 30, 1891; immediate effect; transmitted March 8 ... 624
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment March 20 ... 746
reported enrolled March 24 ... 808
approved March 24 ... 809

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reported enrolled March 9 ... 659
approved March 13 ... 662
358. A bill to amend sections 20, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, the same being sections 3334, 3335 and 3336 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on railroads February 21 405
reported; ordered printed for committee March 1 ... 536
file No. 117,
reported; general order May 17 ... 1305
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1506
passed; transmitted May 26 ... 1587
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1611
359. A bill to regulate common carriers and creating the railroad and warehouse commission of Michigan, and defining the duties of such commission in relation to common carriers:
introduced by Mr. Ginley; referred to committee on judiciary and railroads, jointly, February 21 ... 405
reported; ordered printed for committee April 10 ... 903
file No. 201.
360. A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, being act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873; to provide for the taxation of railroad property, and to repeal the following: Section 33 of an act approved March 28, 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company." Section 21 of an act approved May 4, 1886, entitled "An act to incorporate the Grand River Valley Railroad Company." Section 2 of an act approved May 18, 1846, entitled "An act in regard to the Erie and Kalamazoo Railroad Company." Section 31 of an act approved May 9, 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Southern Railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Southern Railroad Company. And section 9 of an act approved February 13, 1859, entitled "An act to authorize the consolidation of the Detroit & Pontiac and the Oakland & Ottawa Railroad Company so as to form a continuous line from Detroit to Lake Michigan, under the name of the Detroit & Milwaukee Railroad Company."
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committe on judiciary and railroads, jointly, February 21 ... 405
reported; ordered printed for committee April 12 ... 920
file No. 208.
361. A bill to repeal act No. 42 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central Railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company," and all acts amendatory thereof:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary and railroads, jointly February 21 ... 406
reported; referred to special committee on railroad taxation March 29 ... 845
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introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on insurance February 21 ... 406
reported; ordered printed for committee March 29 ... 845
file No. 187.
363. A bill making an appropriation of moneys for the branch of the Michigan State Prison at Marquette:
introduced by Mr. Pascoe; referred to committee on House of Correction at Marquette February 21 ... 406
reported substituted; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 11 ... 911
364. A bill to disorganize the township of Clifton in the county of Keweenaw, and attach the territory of said township to the township of Allouez:
introduced by Mr. Pascoe; referred to committee on counties and ... ships February 21 ...

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reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 2 569
returned; referred for enrollment March 3 595
reported enrolled March 9 659
approved March 13 663

365. A bill to repeal sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1883, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the location, erection, organization and management of an asylum for insane criminals," the same being sections 1943c to 1943h inclusive of Howell's annotated statutes, volume 3, and section 1 of act No. 181 of the public acts of 1891, which is an act amendatory thereto, and to substitute new sections in lieu thereof:
introduced by Mr. Crane; referred to committee on Asylum for the Criminal Insane February 21 406

366. A bill to organize the township of Rudyard, county of Chippewa:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 407
reported; general order March 2 569
file No. 123.
committee of whole; third reading March 16 719
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 17 732

367. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Inwood and attach the same to the township of Harrison in Schoolcraft county, Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 407
reported; general order March 2 569
file No. 122.
committee of whole; third reading March 15 694
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 16 718
returned; referred for enrollment March 17 736
reported enrolled March 20 745
approved March 20 746

368. A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, for the purchase of grounds and the construction of school buildings and to issue bonds therefor:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on education and public schools February 21 407
reported adversely; tabled March 24 807
taken up; recommitted April 27 1062
reported with substitute entitled; A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, and to issue bonds therefor; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 2 1091
returned; referred for enrollment May 3 1110
reported enrolled May 4 1126
approved May 5 1133

369. A bill to provide a standard classification for nursery stock, to regulate the sale of good stock, to prescribe a license and a license fee for nursery agents and to prescribe penalties for violations of its provisions:
introduced by Mr. Mugford; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 407

370. A bill to revise the charter of the city of Moun[illegible]t, Isabella county:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; tabled Febru[illegible] 407
taken up; referred to committee on citi[illegible] 639
reported with substitute ent[illegible] of the
city of Mt. Pleasant in [illegible] ended;
passed; title amended [illegible] on one
of chapter one, se[illegible] chapter
sixteen, section [illegible]
twenty-two of [illegible]
of Mt. Ple[illegible]
laws of [illegible]
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371. A bill to incorporate the city of Chandler in the county of Isabella:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; tabled February 21 ... 407
372. A bill to incorporate the city of Isabella in the county of Isabella:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; tabled February 21 ... 407
taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages March 22 ... 771
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of McBain," approved March 4, 1893; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 23 ... 774
returned; referred for enrollment March 23 ... 794
reported enrolled March 24 ... 809
requested by House; requested from Governor March 29 ... 847
received from Governor; transmitted to House March 29 ... 856
returned with substitute entitled: "A bill to incorporate the village of McBain in the county of Missaukee;" concurred in; immediate effect; referred for enrollment April 5 ... 871
reported enrolled April 7 ... 899
approved April 7 ... 899
373. A bill to amend certain sections of the local acts of 1887, the same being an act to incorporate the city of Adrian:
introduced by Mr. Morrow; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 ... 408
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to amend the charter of the city of Adrian, in Lenawee county, and all acts amendatory thereof; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 17 ... 1278
returned; amended; concurred in; House amended title agreed to as follows: A bill to amend sections 4, 99, 109, 181, 182, 187, 194, 215, 218, 226, 230, 242, 243, 250, 251 and 287 of "An act to reincorporate the city of Adrian," approved March 8, 1887; referred for enrollment May 17 ... 1300
reported enrolled May 22 ... 1392
approved May 24 ... 1478
374. A bill to authorize the city of Grand Rapids to issue its bonds for the improvement of Grand river:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 ... 408
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 28 ... 472
requested from House April 11 ... 915
returned; reconsidered; recommitted April 18 ... 965
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to authorize the city of Grand Rapids to issue its bonds for the improvement of the navigation of Grand river, and for the appointment of a board of commissioners therefor, and to prescribe their powers and duties; concurred in; rules suspended; amended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 4 ... 1116
returned; referred for enrollment May 4 ... 1122
reported enrolled May 5 ... 1137
approved May 10 ... 1161
375. A bill to provide for the return of petit and grand jurors for the city of Alpena:
introduced by Mr. Turnbull; tabled February 21 ... 408
376. A bill to incorporate the village of Hammond's Bay, Presque Isle county and to provide for police regulation and an election and voting precinct at said place:
introduced by Mr. Turnbull; tabled February 21 ... 408
377. A bill to authorize the casting of votes at any election in this State by electors who are necessarily absent from their township or ward at the time of holding such elections:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; referred to committee on elections February 21 ... 408
378. A bill to amend sections 33 of act No. 113 of the session laws of 1877, etc.:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 408
379. A bill to amend sections 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42 of chapter 192 of the compiled laws of 1871, etc.:

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introduced by Mr. Gilbert; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 408
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to amend sections 38, 39 and 40 of chapter 192 of compiled laws of 1871 (chapter 266 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan), being sections 7697, 7698 and 7699 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan; concurred in; general order May 12 ... 1222
file No. 244.
committee of whole; third reading May 16 ... 1269
passed; transmitted May 16 ... 1274
returned amended and title amended to read: A bill to amend sections 38, 39 and 40, of chapter 106, of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled "Judgments and executions," being sections 7697, 7698 and 7699, of Howell's annotated statutes; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 22 ... 1401
reported enrolled May 23 ... 1425
approved May 29 ... 1606

380. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 88 of the session laws of 1869, etc.:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 409
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 88 of the session laws of of 1869, entitled "An act requiring corporations doing business in this State, whose principal officers are out of the State, to keep a list of their stockholders and a transfer book within this State," being section 4900 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan; concurred; general order May 12 ... 1221
file No. 243.
committee of whole; third reading May 22 ... 1397
passed; transmitted May 23 ... 1418
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1598
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1607

381. A bill making an annual appropriation for the publication of the proceedings and otherwise aiding and furthering the objects of the Michigan Pioneer and Historical society:
introduced by Mr. Wilkins; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 ... 409

382. A bill to provide the manner of dividing townships into two or more voting precincts:
introduced by Mr. Wilkins; referred to committee on elections February 21 ... 409

383. A bill to provide for the construction, repair and maintenance of county roads in the State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Steel; tabled February 21 ... 409

384. A bill appropriating a sum of money for the erection of a residence for the use of the Governor and providing for the appointment of three commissioners to supervise the erection thereof and to define their powers and duties:
introduced by Mr. Steel; tabled February 21 ... 409

385. A bill to regulate the practice of medicine in the State of Michigan and to license physicians and surgeons and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 409

386. A bill to bring the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee railroad company and the railroad and property and business now or heretofore owned, leased or operated by said company in this State within the scope and operation in all respects of the general railroad laws of this State, and to repeal all acts of incorporation and consolidation or other acts under which said company has heretofore claimed special privileges, franchises and exemptions not granted by said general railroad laws, and to designate a board to adjudicate any claim for damages which may be made against this State on account of the repeal aforesaid, and to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; referred to special committee on railroad taxation February 21 ... 409

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387. A bill to bring the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad company, and the Erie & Kalamazoo railroad company, and the railroad property and business now or heretofore owned, leased or operated by said companies or either of them in this State, within the scope and operation in all respects of the general railroad laws of this State, and to repeal all acts of incorporation and consolidation under which said companies or either of them have heretofore claimed special privileges, franchises and exemptions, and to designate a board to adjudicate any claim for damages which may be made against this State on account of the repeal aforesaid, and to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; referred to special committee on railroad taxation February 21 410

388. A bill to provide for the taxation of railway or railroad companies originally organized under any special act or acts of incorporation or consolidation, or which have heretofore been taxed under any special act or acts, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; referred to special committee on railroad taxation February 21 410

389. A bill to bring the Grand River Valley railroad company and its lessees, grantees and assignees and the railroad and property and business now or heretofore owned leased or operated by said company in this State, within the full scope and operation in all respects of the general railroad laws of this State, and to repeal act No. 93 of the session laws of 1846, entitled "An act to incorporate the Grand River Valley railroad company," approved May 4, 1846, and to repeal all acts amendatory or supplemental thereto and to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; referred to special committee on railroad taxation February 21 410

390. A bill to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent deception and fraud at elections in this State:
introduced by Mr. Fox; tabled February 21 410

391. A bill to reincorporate the village of Leonard, Oakland county, Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Mellen; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 411
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; title amended by adding the words "and to add territory thereto;" immediate effect; transmitted March 3 586
returned; referred for enrollment April 26 1048
reported enrolled April 28 1080
approved May 3 1105

392. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 4 of the public acts of 1885, and also to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 29 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act for payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows," and also to amend sections 1 and 2 of act 152 of the public acts of 1889, being compiler's section of 3 Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, numbers 2259*a*, 2259*b*, 2259*c*, 2259*d*, and to add two new sections known as sections 3 and 5:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 411

393. A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, as amended by act No. 150 of the public acts of 1887, approved June 7, 1887, being compiler's section 3357*b* of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on railroads February 21 411
reported; ordered printed for committee March 1 536
file No. 118.

394. A bill to incorporate the city of Belding, Ionia county:
introduced by Mr. Earle; tabled February 21 411
taken up; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages March 2 585
file No. 127.

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reported; general order March 15 ... 698
committee of whole; referred to committee on constitutional amendments March 15 ... 698
reported with substitute having same title; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 16 ... 711
returned; referred for enrollment March 20 ... 747
reported enrolled March 23 ... 794
approved March 24 ... 809

395. A bill to amend section 23 of act No. 135, entitled "An act to amend, revise and consolidate the laws organizing asylums for the insane and regulating the care and management thereof, and of the inmates therein, and to repeal act No. 164 of the laws of 1859; also act 194, laws of 1877; also act 91, laws of 1873, and the acts amendatory thereto; also act 172, laws of 1873:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; tabled February 21 ... 411

396. A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 2 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; tabled February 21 ... 412

397. A bill to amend sections 9 and 12 of act No. 276 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act for the protection of game," approved July 6, 1889, as amended by act No. 152 of the public acts of 1891, approved June 24, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; tabled February 21 ... 412

398. A bill to amend sections 5, 6, 37 and 39 of act No. 428 of the session laws of 1887, entitled "An act to revise and amend act No. 53 of the session laws of 1859, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Battle Creek,' approved February 3, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith," approved April 9, 1887, as amended, and to add one new section thereto to stand as section 95:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; tabled February 21 ... 412
taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages May 10 ... 1166
reported with substitute; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 18 ... 1331
title of substitute, viz.: A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 428 of the session laws of 1887, entitled "An act to revise and amend act No. 53 of the session laws of 1859," entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Battle Creek," approved February 3, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, approved April 9, 1887, approved May 9, 1889, approved May 22, 1891, and approved March 22, 1893.
returned; referred for enrollment May 20 ... 1384
reported enrolled May 22 ... 1393
approved May 24 ... 1477

399. A bill to amend title 17 of act No. 304 of the local acts of 1889, entitled "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Muskegon, and to define and enlarge the boundaries of said city, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the village of Lakeside, in the county of Muskegon,'" approved March 21, 1883, approved March 5, 1887, by adding a section thereto to stand as section 7:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 ... 412
file No. 92.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 3 ... 587
returned; referred for enrollment March 15 ... 687
reported enrolled March 20 ... 745
approved March 21 ... 754

400. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of McMillan, in the county of Luce, in the State of Michigan, and to organize the township of Calhoun, in said county:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; ordered printed and referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 ... 412
file No. 93.
reported adversely; tabled April 12 ... 923

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401. A bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of wagon roads in and by the county of Alpena, and to authorize the county of Alpena to raise money therefor by issuing bonds or otherwise:
introduced by Mr. Turnbull; tabled February 21 ... 413
taken up; referred to committee on counties and townships February 25 462
402. A bill to prohibit the killing of any game bird for the purpose of selling the same, and to provide penalties and punishments therefor:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 ... 413
403. A bill authorizing the improvement of the channel of the outlet of Willow Lake in the town of Vernon, in the county of Isabella, for the purpose of lowering the waters of said lake and reclaiming certain lands; providing for the appointment of a commission to supervise said improvement; to define their powers and duties and to fix their compensation; authorizing the townships benefited to borrow money for the improvement of said channel and to issue bonds therefor; and to provide for the levy of taxes thereon to pay the same:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; tabled February 21 ... 413
404. A bill to incorporate investment and guaranty companies and to prescribe their powers:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 21 ... 416
reported adversely; re-committed March 23 ... 778
405. A bill to establish a homeopathic medical college in Detroit:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 ... 416
406. A bill to require the township highway commissioners of Hamtramck and Greenfield to turn over to the city of Detroit all road district moneys known as delinquent highway moneys:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 ... 417
407. A bill to incorporate the city of Dearborn, Wayne county, Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 ... 417
reported with substitute; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 22 ... 759
title of substitute: A bill to incorporate the village of Dearborn, in the county of Wayne and State of Michigan.
returned; referred for enrollment March 23 ... 790
reported enrolled March 24 ... 808
approved March 24 ... 819
408. A bill to prohibit the use of the term "bank," "banker" or "bankers" to designate the business carried on by any person or persons, firm or corporation, other than corporations organized under the banking law of this State or of the United States:
introduced by Mr. Clark; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 21 ... 417
reported; general order March 22 ... 763
file No. 171.
committee of whole; tabled April 5 ... 877
taken up; recommitted May 18 ... 1325
reported; rules suspended; ordered to third reading May 24 ... 1444
409. A bill to amend section 142 of chapter 90 of the revised statutes of 1846, the same being section 6736 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. French; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 417
reported; general order March 15 ... 679
file No. 152.
committee of whole; third reading March 28 ... 831
read third time; tabled March 28 ... 838
taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 26 ...
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 ...
410. A bill to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and deception at general elections:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on elections February 21 417

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411. A bill to provide for the appointment of a commissioner of escheated estates and to define his duties and fix his compensation:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 .. 417
reported with substitute; agreed to; general order May 12 1221
file No. 241.
title of substitute: A bill for the ascertainment and protection of the interests of the State in escheated estates.
committee of whole; third reading May 20 1379
read third time; tabled May 22 1413
taken up; passed; effect July 1, 1893; transmitted May 24 1499
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1611

412. A bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of a drain in and through the townships of Rich and Deerfield, in the county of Lapeer and State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Fox; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 417
reported; tabled May 12 1223
taken up; rules suspended; passed; title amended; transmitted May 13. 1243
amended title: A bill to authorize the township of Wisner in the county of Tuscola to borrow money for the purpose of constructing a drain as herein provided in said county of Tuscola; returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 20 1384
reported enrolled May 22 1393
approved May 24 1477

413. A bill to incorporate the village of Kingston, in the county of Tuscola, State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Fox; tabled February 21 417
taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages March 3 598
reported with substitute; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 7 615
title of substitute: A bill to incorporate the village of Kingston in Tuscola county; returned; referred for enrollment March 8 640
reported enrolled March 16 710
approved March 15 686

414. A bill providing that all persons employing female help in stores shall provide seats for the same when not actively employed:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; tabled March 1 418
taken up; referred to committee on labor interests March 1 540
reported ~~adversely~~; general order, April 7 896
file No. 200.
committee of whole; third reading April 18 969
not passed; reconsidered; made special order April 25, April 19 982
taken up; passed; transmitted April 25 1033
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 17 1286
reported enrolled May 18 1329
approved May 22 1394

415. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Muskegon:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; tabled February 21 418

416. A bill exempting from jury duty veterans who served one year or more in the volunteer army or navy of the United States from 1861 to 1865:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 418
reported; general order March 20 742
file No. 166.
committee of whole; third reading March 28 831
passed; transmitted March 28 838
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1610

417. A bill providing that all prison made goods shall be so branded:
introduced by Mr. Brundage; referred to committee on labor interests February 21 418
reported; general order April 7 897
file No. 198.
committee of whole; all after enacting clause stricken out; tabled April 18 970

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reported enrolled March 9 ... 659
approved March 13 ... 662
358. A bill to amend sections 20, 21 and 22 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, the same being sections 3334, 3335 and 3336 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on railroads February 21 405
reported; ordered printed for committee March 1 ... 536
file No. 117,
reported; general order May 17 ... 1305
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1506
passed; transmitted May 26 ... 1587
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1611
359. A bill to regulate common carriers and creating the railroad and warehouse commission of Michigan, and defining the duties of such commission in relation to common carriers:
introduced by Mr. Ginley; referred to committee on judiciary and railroads, jointly, February 21 ... 405
reported; ordered printed for committee April 10 ... 903
file No. 201.
360. A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of an act entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State," approved May 1, 1873, being act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873; to provide for the taxation of railroad property, and to repeal the following: Section 33 of an act approved March 28, 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company." Section 21 of an act approved May 4, 1886, entitled "An act to incorporate the Grand River Valley Railroad Company." Section 2 of an act approved May 18, 1846, entitled "An act in regard to the Erie and Kalamazoo Railroad Company." Section 31 of an act approved May 9, 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Southern Railroad and to incorporate the Michigan Southern Railroad Company. And section 9 of an act approved February 13, 1859, entitled "An act to authorize the consolidation of the Detroit & Pontiac and the Oakland & Ottawa Railroad Company so as to form a continuous line from Detroit to Lake Michigan, under the name of the Detroit & Milwaukee Railroad Company."
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committe on judiciary and railroads, jointly, February 21 ... 405
reported; ordered printed for committee April 12 ... 920
file No. 208.
361. A bill to repeal act No. 42 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1846, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the Central Railroad, and to incorporate the Michigan Central Railroad Company," and all acts amendatory thereof:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on judiciary and railroads, jointly February 21 ... 406
reported; referred to special committee on railroad taxation March 29 ... 845
362. A bill to regulate certain foreign secret or fraternal life insurance corporations and associations:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on insurance February 21 ... 406
reported; ordered printed for committee March 29 ... 845
file No. 187.
363. A bill making an appropriation of moneys for the branch of the Michigan State Prison at Marquette:
introduced by Mr. Pascoe; referred to committee on House of Correction at Marquette February 21 ... 406
reported substituted; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 11 ... 911
364. A bill to disorganize the township of Clifton in the county of Keweenaw, and attach the territory of said township to the township of Allouez:
introduced by Mr. Pascoe; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 ... 406

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reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 2 ... 569
returned; referred for enrollment March 3 ... 595
reported enrolled March 9 ... 659
approved March 13 ... 663

365. A bill to repeal sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1883, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the location, erection, organization and management of an asylum for insane criminals," the same being sections 1943c to 1943h inclusive of Howell's annotated statutes, volume 3, and section 1 of act No. 181 of the public acts of 1891, which is an act amendatory thereto, and to substitute new sections in lieu thereof:
introduced by Mr. Crane; referred to committee on Asylum for the Criminal Insane February 21 ... 406

366. A bill to organize the township of Rudyard, county of Chippewa:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 ... 407
reported; general order March 2 ... 569
file No. 123.
committee of whole; third reading March 16 ... 719
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 17 ... 732

367. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Inwood and attach the same to the township of Harrison in Schoolcraft county, Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 ... 407
reported; general order March 2 ... 569
file No. 122.
committee of whole; third reading March 15 ... 694
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 16 ... 718
returned; referred for enrollment March 17 ... 736
reported enrolled March 20 ... 745
approved March 20 ... 746

368. A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, for the purchase of grounds and the construction of school buildings and to issue bonds therefor:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem; referred to committee on education and public schools February 21 ... 407
reported adversely; tabled March 24 ... 807
taken up; recommitted April 27 ... 1062
reported with substitute entitled; A bill to authorize the public schools of the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, to borrow money to be used in the payment of outstanding school orders of said school district, and to issue bonds therefor; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 2 ... 1091
returned; referred for enrollment May 3 ... 1110
reported enrolled May 4 ... 1126
approved May 5 ... 1133

369. A bill to provide a standard classification for nursery stock, to regulate the sale of good stock, to prescribe a license and a license fee for nursery agents and to prescribe penalties for violations of its provisions:
introduced by Mr. Mugford; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 407

370. A bill to revise the charter of the city of Mount Pleasant, Isabella county:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; tabled February 21 ... 407
taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages, March 6 ... 609
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to amend the charter of the city of Mt. Pleasant in Isabella county; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; title amended to read as follows: A bill to amend section one of chapter one, section one of chapter three, section seven of chapter sixteen, section four of chapter nineteen, and section one of chapter twenty-two of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Mt. Pleasant in Isabella county, being act No. 264 of the session laws of 1891," approved March 30, 1891; immediate effect; transmitted March 8 ... 624
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment March 20 ... 746
reported enrolled March 24 ... 808
approved March 24 ... 809

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partly within this State; committee of whole; third reading May 23 .. 1443
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 24 1465
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1611
434. A bill to amend compiler's section 4070, being section 26, chapter 163 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the sale of real estate by administrators or executors for the purpose of distribution, as amended by act No. 119 of the public acts of 1883, approved May 25. 1883, the same being section 6050 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; tabled February 21 421
435. A bill to amend section 13, of act No. 133, of the session laws of 1879, as amended, being an act to establish an institution under the name and style of the Michigan Reform School for Girls, section 9839 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add five new sections to said act to be numbered 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on Industrial Home for Girls February 21 421
reported; general order March 2 564
file No. 124.
committee of whole; third reading March 14 675
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 15 693
title amended to read as follows: A bill to amend section 13 of act No. 133 of the session laws of 1879 as amended, being "An act to establish an institution under the name and style of the Michigan Reform School for Girls, being section 9839 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to add two new sections to said act to be numbered 21 and 22, for the protection of inmates and subjects of said institution;" returned; referred for enrollment May 9 1153
reported enrolled May 10 1160
approved May 11 1187
436. A bill to prohibit insurance companies, societies, corporations or others issuing certificates of membership or policies of life insurance requiring any obligation or condition of contract, which prevents the payment of the amount of the policy to the estate or legal heirs of the assured:
introduced by Mr. Earle; referred to committee on insurance February 21 421
437. A bill regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 21 421
file No. 95.
reported; general order April 12 921
file No. 217.
ordered printed for committee of whole April 20 1007
committee of whole; third reading May 3 1111
passed; title amended; transmitted May 4 1120
amended title: A bill to define what shall constitute fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations; to provide for their incorporation and the regulation of their business, and for the punishment for violation of the provisions of the act of their incorporation, and to repeal all existing acts inconsistent therewith; returned amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 17 1297
reported enrolled May 22 1391
approved May 29 1606
438. A bill to amend section 14 of act 190, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud (deception) and deceptions at elections in this State:"
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; referred to committee on elections February 21 422
439. A bill to amend section 8 of "An act to establish a board of police and fire commissioners in the city of Grand Rapids and to prescribe their powers and duties," approved May 24, 1881, and the several acts amendatory thereof:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 422
440. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the election of county commissioners of schools, for the appointment of school examiners, to define the duties and fix the compensation of the same, and to repeal all existing

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acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act," approved June 19, 1891, being act No. 147 of the public acts of 1891:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on education and public schools February 21 ... 422
reported; general order February 28 ... 472
file No. 108.
committee of whole discharged; tabled March 8 ... 645

441. A bill to amend section 26 of act No. 147 of the public acts of 1877, entitled "An act to revise sections 6, 11, 13, 19 and 21 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for a municipal court in the city of Grand Rapids, to be called the superior court of Grand Rapids,' being act No. 49 of the session laws of 1875, approved March 24, 1875, and to add new sections to the act to stand as sections 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29," approved May 19, 1877, as amended:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 422

442. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 3 of article 3 of act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, entitled 'An act to amend sections 7, 30, 36 and 41 of article 2, sections 3 and 5 of article 3, and section 14 of article 4, and to add two new sections to article 2, to stand as sections 45 and 46, and a new section to article 5 to stand as section 22, of an act entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning and operating any railroads in this State,'" approved May 1, 1873, being act No. 198, session laws of 1873, the section hereby amended being section 3360 of Howell's annotated statutes, Vol. 3:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on railroads February 21 ... 422
reported; ordered printed for committee March 1 ... 536
file No. 119.

443. A bill to repeal act No. 63 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to provide for the further geological survey of the State," approved March 26, 1869:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on geological survey February 21 ... 423

444. A bill to establish a normal school at some point north of town No. 13 north, in the State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Steel; referred to committee on State Normal School February 21 ... 423

445. Error in numbering—not introduced.

446. A bill to amend act No. 65 of the session laws of 1869, as amended, entitled "An act to provide for the further geological survey of the State," approved March 26, 1869, by the addition of one new section thereto to stand as section 11:
introduced by Mr. Steel; tabled February 21 ... 423

447. A bill making appropriations for buildings in connection with the State Prison at Jackson, Michigan, and general repairs:
introduced by Mr. Wilkins; referred to committee on State Prison February 21 ... 423
reported; substituted; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 24 ... 1460
reported; general order May 26 ... 1561
committee of whole; third reading May 26 ... 1567
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 26 ... 1568

448. A bill to provide for the sale and conveyance of the property of school districts in this State, and for the distribution of the proceeds of such sales in case of the depopulation of any such school districts:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on education and public schools February 21 ... 423
reported; general order May 19 ... 1371
file No. 256.
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1506

449. A bill to provide for the establishment of a State Normal School in each of the counties of the State, and to make appropriations for the erection and maintenance of the same:

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introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on State Normal School February 21 ... 423

450. A bill to amend section 14 of act 190 of the session laws, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting, to prevent fraud and deceptions at elections in this State:"
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on elections February 21 ... 428

451. A bill to provide for a board of trustees for the management and control of the Michigan Reform School and to repeal all acts in conflict with this act:
introduced by Mr. Wilkins; referred to committee on Reform School February 21 ... 428
reported; general order March 2 ... 572
file No. 120.
committee of whole; third reading April 6 ... 887
passed; transmitted April 11 ... 917
returned; amended and title amended; concurred in; immediate effect; referred for enrollment May 19 ... 1362
reported enrolled May 25 ... 1528
approved May 29 ... 1612

452. A bill to divide the State of Michigan into twelve congressional districts:
introduced by Mr. Wilkins; referred to special committee on congressional apportionment February 21 ... 428

453. A bill to establish and regulate charges to be charged by any company, corporation or association engaged in the business of expressing, forwarding and delivering articles, packages or parcels of produce, manufactures or merchandise in this State, and to prescribe a penalty for the violation of this act:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 428

454. A bill to prevent any individual or member of any firm or agent, officer or employé of any company or corporation, to prevent or attempt to prevent employés from forming, joining and belonging to any lawful labor organization, and to provide a punishment for any such individual member, agent, officer or employé that coerces or attempts to coerce employés by discharging or threatening to discharge them from their employ or the employ of any firm, company or corporation, because of their connection with such labor organization:
introduced by Mr. Doran; referred to committee on lobor interests February 21 ... 429
reported; substituted; general order April 6 ... 883
file No. 194.
title of substitute: A bill to prevent any person or employer of labor to coerce or prevent employés from joining or belonging to any lawfully organized labor organization, and to provide a punishment therefor.
recommitted April 11 ... 915
reported; general order May 12 ... 1227
committee of whole; third reading May 22 ... 1397
passed; transmitted May 23 ... 1422
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1611

455. A bill to provide for allowing the circuit courts and the supreme court of this State in granting new trials of cases, to define and limit the issues to be tried upon the retrial of such causes:
introduced by Mr. Turnbull; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 429

456. A bill to incorporate the city of Harbor Springs and to repeal act 305 of the session laws of 1881, approved March 10, A. D. 1881:
introduced by Mr. Turnbull (for Mr. Hopkins); tabled February 21 ... 429
taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages May 4 ... 1123
reported; substituted; rules suspended; passed; transmitted May 9 ... 1146
title of substitute: A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 349 of the local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Freemont in the county of Newaygo," approved April 23, 1875; returned; referred for enrollment May 10 ... 1180
reported enrolled May 12 ... 1230
approved May 18 ... 1310

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457. A bill to prohibit the officers of railroads in this State from obstructing or causing to be obstructed free passage to and from passenger trains of people going to or returning from a journey thereon:
introduced by Mr. Clark; tabled February 21 ... 429

458. A bill to provide for the final determination of any controversy or contest concerning the appointment of all or any of the presidential electors of this State:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on elections February 21 ... 429
file No. 96.
reported; general order May 24 ... 1495
committee of whole; third reading May 24 ... 1502
passed; transmitted May 26 ... 1556
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1610

459. A bill to provide for a salary for justices of the peace in the township of Ecorse, Wayne county, State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 ... 429

460. A bill to amend act 189, as amended by act 170, laws of 1863, being section 5644 of the compiled laws of 1871, and section 7195, Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to admission of attorneys, solicitors and counselors, and to provide for the appointment of a board of examiners:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 430
reported; ordered printed for committee March 16 ... 706
file No. 160.
reported adversely; tabled April 11 ... 910

461. A bill to amend section 3 of title 6 of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids,' approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 ... 430
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 28 ... 473
returned; referred for enrollment March 2 ... 577
reported enrolled March 8 ... 644
approved March 9 ... 653

462. A bill for the purpose of preserving the highways of this State and bettering their condition throughout the State:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; tabled February 21 ... 430

463. A bill to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; tabled February 21 ... 430

464. A bill to regulate the practice of medicine in this State:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; tabled February 21 ... 430
taken up; referred to committee on public health April 13 ... 943
reported; substituted; general order April 20 ... 996
file No. 220.
title of substitute: A bill to amend sections 5 and 9 of act No. 134 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the State of Michigan," approved June 2, 1885; committee of whole; third reading May 12 ... 1233
not passed; reconsidered; tabled May 12 ... 1236

465. A bill for the better protection and preservation of the game and fish in this State:
introduced by Mr. McGinley; tabled February 21 ... 430

466. A bill to further preserve the purity of elections and guard against abuses of the elective franchise by providing for an official ballot, prescribing the manner of conducting elections and making returns thereof, and defining certain offenses and fixing penalties therefor:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on elections February 21 ... 430
ordered printed February 23 ... 443
file No. 97.
proposed substitute ordered printed April 28 ... 1067
file number of proposed substitute, 233.

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467. A bill to incorporate the village of Witherell-Woods:
introduced by Mr. Hough; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 431

468. A bill to incorporate the public school schools of Witherell-Woods:
introduced by Mr. Hough; referred to committee on cities and villages February 21 431

469. A bill to establish a municipal court in and for the village of Witherell-Woods, and define its jurisdiction:
introduced by Mr. Hough; tabled February 21 431

470. A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 12 of act No. 169 of the session laws (public acts) of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for a central board of control, which shall have management and control of the State Public School at Coldwater, the Michigan School for the Blind at Lansing and the Michigan School for the Deaf at Flint, to prescribe the powers of said board, to abolish the present boards of State institutions, and to repeal all laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act," approved June 26, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 431

471. A bill to repeal sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 12 and 13 of act No. 140 of the session laws (public acts) of 1891, the same being entitled "An act to provide for a State board of inspectors, who shall perform the duties now performed by the advisory board in the matter of pardons and who shall have the complete management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia, the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform School for Boys at Lansing and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and abolish all existing boards, and to annul all existing appointments," approved June 17, 1891, and to terminate the existence and to annul the appointment of all members of said State board of inspectors, and each and every of them after the passage of this act:
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 431

472. A bill to amend section 17 of act No. 207 of the public acts of 1889, approved June 29, 1889, entitled "An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away or furnishing vinous, malt, brewed, fermented spirituous or intoxicating liquors, or any mixed liquor or beverage, any part of which is intoxicating, and to prohibit the keeping of any saloon or other place for the manufacture, sale, storing for sale, giving away or furnishing of such liquors or beverages, and to suspend the general laws of the State relative to the taxation and regulation of the manufacture and sale of such liquors in the several counties of this State under certain circumstances. To authorize the qualified electors of the several counties in this State to express their will in regard to such prohibition by an election, and to authorize and empower the board of supervisors of the several counties, after such election, if they shall determine the result to be in favor of such prohibition, to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away or furnishing of any such liquors, or the keeping of a saloon or any other place for the manufacture, sale, storing for sale, giving away or furnishing of the same within their respective counties, and to provide for penalties and rights of action in case of its violation:"
introduced by Mr. Sabin; referred to committee on liquor traffic February 21 432

473. A bill to amend sections 5 and 7 of act No. 220 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the employment, defining the duties, and fixing the compensation of a stenographer for the circuit court for the county of Kent, State of Michigan,' being act No. 133 of the public acts of the Legislature of the year 1877, and being comprised in sections 6512 to 6522 inclusive, of Howell's annotated statutes of this State," approved June 22, 1887, being section 6534e^3 and 6534e^5 of Howell's annotated statutes, for the years 1883 to 1890 inclusive:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 432

474. A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 97 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act to provide for an additional circuit judge for the seventeenth judicial circuit, and to define the powers and duties of the judges of said cir-

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cuit, and to provide for the manner of conducting the business of said court," approved May 17, 1889, the same being compiler's section 6480v of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan for the years 1883-1890:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 432

475. A bill to prohibit circuit judges from practicing as attorneys-at-law in their own circuit or adjoining circuits:
introduced by Mr. Pierce; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 433
reported; general order March 15 ... 679
file No. 153.
committee of whole; third reading March 23 ... 791
passed; transmitted March 24 ... 811

476. A bill to authorize the township of Lincoln in the county of Arenac to borrow money to be used to encourage and promote manufacturing industries in said township and to issue bonds therefor:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; referred to committee on counties and townships February 21 ... 433
reported tabled March 28 ... 827
taken up; referred to committee on judiciary March 28 ... 834
reported adversely; tabled April 11 ... 910
taken up; recommitted April 11 ... 915
reported; substituted; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted April 12 ... 923
title of substitute: A bill to authorize the township of Grayling in the county of Crawford, to borrow money to be used for local improvements and to issue bonds therefor; returned; referred for enrollment April 13 ... 941
reported enrolled April 14 ... 946
approved April 17 ... 968

477. A bill to amend section 2 of article 143 of the session laws of the State of Michigan for the year 1848, being section 7461 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the taking of depositions:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 433

478. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 243 of the session laws of the State of Michigan for the year 1880, being section 6293 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to the support and maintenance of wives from their husband's estate in certain cases:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 433

479. A bill to amend section 1, chapter 94, of the revised statutes of 1846, relative to criminal proceedings before justices of the peace, the same being compiler's section 7092 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Clark; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 433

480. A bill to amend sections 9 and 10 of chapter 171 of the revised statutes of 1846 relative to county jails and the regulations thereof, the same being compiler's section 9642 and 9643 of Howell's annotated statutes:
introduced by Mr. Clark; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 433

481. A bill to authorize the several counties of this State to construct and repair public highways by the use of convict labor from certain penal institutions and inmates of county jails in this State:
introduced by Mr. Clark; referred to committee on roads and bridges February 21 ... 433

482. A bill to authorize the wardens and boards of managers of the several penal institutions of this State to furnish to the several counties certain convicts to be employed on the highway:
introduced by Mr. Clark; tabled February 21 ... 434

483. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 264 of the public acts of 1889, entitled "An act relative to disorderly persons, and to repeal chapter 53 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof:
introduced by Mr. Clark; tabled February 21 ... 434
taken up; referred to committee on judiciary April 19 ... 985

484. A bill to amend certain sections of the charter of Harbor Springs:
introduced by Mr. Turnbull (for Mr. Hopkins); tabled February 22 ... 434

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485. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Marine City, in the county of St. Clair," and the acts amendatory thereof:
introduced by Mr. Gibson (for Mr. French); tabled February 22 434
taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages May 23 1442
reported; substituted; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 24 1492
title of substitute: A bill to amend act No. 500 of the local acts of 1887, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Marine City in the county of St. Clair, and to repeal act No. 328 of the local acts of 1885, entitled 'An act to reincorporate the village of Marine City,'" approved April 23, 1885, as amended by adding a new section thereto to stand as section 3, and by renumbering the present sections Nos. 3, 4 and 5 of said act, to stand as sections 4, 5 and 6, respectively.

486. A bill authorizing guardians to have appraised and sell at private sale the interest or share in real estate of minors and other persons under guardianship in certain cases, and under certain conditions and limitations:
introduced by Mr. Jewell; tabled February 22 435
taken up; referred to committee on State affairs April 28 1084
motion to discharge committee, lost April 28 1084

487. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 265 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to reincorporate the city of Cadillac, and to repeal act No. 254 of session laws of 1877, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Cadillac, and repeal act No. 336 of the session laws of 1875,' approved April 22, 1875, and act No. 304 of the session laws of 1879, entitled 'An act to amend section 1 of act No. 254 of the session laws of 1877,' approved March 20, 1877, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Cadillac, and repeal act No. 336 of the session laws of 1875,' approved April 22, 1875," approved March 6, 1885:
introduced by Mr. Mears; tabled February 22 435
taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages March 14 671
ordered printed March 15 677
file No. 151.
reported amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 27 821
returned; referred for enrollment April 19 974
reported enrolled April 25 1035
approved April 26 1047

488. A bill to amend or revise the charter or act to incorporate the city of Negaunee:
introduced by Mr. Fleshiem (for Mr. Pascoe); referred to committee on cities and villages February 22 435
reported; substituted; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 3 1099
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1610

489. A bill to authorize and empower the village of Witherell-Woods to construct, operate and maintain a sewerage system, and to acquire the right of way through lands outside of the village for such sewerage system, for the purpose of securing an outlet therefor:
introduced by Mr. Hough; tabled February 22 435

490. A bill to make an appropriation to aid the State horticultural society in making an exhibit of horticultural and pomological products of Michigan at the World's Columbian Exposition, to be held in the city of Chicago in 1893:
introduced by Mr. Garvelink; tabled February 22 435

491. A bill to establish and regulate fares for sleeping accommodations in cars or coaches owned, leased, run or operated by railroad or other companies or corporations doing business in this State, and to prescribe a penalty for the violation of this act:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; tabled February 22 436

492. A bill to provide for the selection of candidates for all elective offices:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; tabled February 22 436

493. A bill to amend sections 2 and 3, of act No. 319, of the local acts of 1891, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Harrison, in the county of Clare:"
introduced by Mr. Pierce; tabled February 22 436

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494. A bill to amend sections 2 and 3 of act No. 210, of the local acts of 1891, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Clare, in the county of Clare, and to repeal act No. 404, of the local acts of 1879, entitled 'An act to incorporate the village of Clare, in the county of Clare,' and all other acts relating to said village of Clare:"
introduced by Mr. Pierce; tabled February 22 436
taken up; referred to committee on cities and villages March 28 830
reported; substituted; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 28 833
title of substitute: A bill to amend sections 12, 64, 65 and 75 of act No. 210 of the local acts of 1891, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Clare, in the county of Clare, and to repeal act No. 404 of the local acts of 1879, entitled 'An act to incorporate the village of Clare, in the county of Clare,' and all other acts relating to said village of Clare," and to add three new sections to said act, to stand thereto as sections 92, 93 and 94; returned; referred for enrollment March 29 858
reported enrolled March 30 864
approved April 5 870

495. A bill to amend section 14 of an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the city of Mason," same being act No. 272 of the session laws of 1891, approved April 3, 1891:
introduced by Mr. Clapp (by request); referred to committee on cities and villages February 22 436

496. A bill to incorporate the village of Homer, in the county of Calhoun, Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on cities and villages February 22 436

497. A bill to amend section 5 of local acts No. 292 of the acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan for 1879, entitled "An act to reincorparate the village of Plymouth, county of Wayne, State of Michigan."
introduced by Mr. Hough; referred to committee on cities and villages February 22 437
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 8 623
returned; referred for enrollment April 21 1011
reported enrolled April 25 1036
approved April 26 1047

498. A bill to fix a limitation of time in which claims or suits for personal injuries may be entered or maintained, and to repeal all laws inconsistent herewith:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert (for Mr. Burt); tabled February 22 437
taken up; referred to committee on railroads April 21 1016

499. A bill to amend section 19, of chapter 3, of act No. 164 of the session laws of 1881, being section 5071 of Howell's annotated statutes, and section 3, of chapter 10 of act No. 164 of the session laws of 1881, being section 5134 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to revising and consolidating the laws in relation to public instruction and primary schools:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; tabled February 22 437

500. A bill to amend section 5 of act No. 111 of the public acts of 1889, being an act entitled "An act to protect fish, and to regulate fishing in the waters of this State, by providing close seasons for certain kinds of fish, by prohibiting the catching of fish in certain specified ways, by prohibiting the catching of fish of certain sizes and in certain waters and for certain purposes, by prohibiting the obstruction of the free passage of fish, and by prohibiting the sale of certain kinds of fish, to protect persons engaged in fish culture, and to repeal inconsistent acts:"
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; tabled February 22 437

501. A bill to amend act No. 307 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of West Bay City, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved April 1, 1885, as amended and revised by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof, by amending sections 13 and 15 of title 3; sections 3 and 40 of title 4; sections 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 24, 42 and 43 of title 5; entire title 12 by substituting a new title therefor to stand as title 12; sections 1, 2, 3, 10, 12, 17 and 20 of title 13; sections 3, 4 and 12 of title 14; sections 5, 6 and 7 of title 15; sections 2, 6, 7, 9, 12, 13, 14, 18 and 19 of title 16; entire title 18 by substituting a new title therefor to stand at title 18;

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and to repeal sections 19, 20, 21 and 22 of title 11; sections 25, 26, 44, 45, 46, 47 and 48 of title 5 of said act as amended by the several acts amendatory and revisionary thereof:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; tabled February 22 437

502. A bill entitled "A bill to amend sections 2, 7, 8, 15 and 17 of act No. 262 of the session laws of 1889, entitlhd 'An act for the winding up of mining and manufacturing corporations whose charters have expired,'" approved July 5, 1889, and to repeal sections 12, 13 and 14 of said act:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; tabled February 22 438
taken up; referred to committee on judiciary March 23 790

503. A bill to protect the people of this State from the encroachments of the liquor traffic, and to provide that manufacturers of, and dealers in intoxicating liquors shall obtain the permission of the people of the county before engaging in such business therein, being amendatory of sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 19 of act No. 207 of the session laws of 1889, entitled "An act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away or furnishing of vinous, malt, brewed, fermented, spirituous or intoxicating liquors, or any mixed liquor or beverage, any part of which is intoxicating, and to prohibit the keeping of any saloon or other place for the manufacture, sale, storing for sale, giving away or furnishing of such liquors or beverages, and to suspend the general laws of the State relative to the taxation and regulation of the manufacture and sale of such liquors in the several counties in this State under certain circumstances; to authorize the qualified electors of the several counties in this State to express their will in regard to such prohibition by an election, and to authorize and empower the board of supervisors of the several counties, after such election, if they shall determine the result to be in favor of such prohibition, to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away or furnishing of any such liquors, or the keeping of a saloon or any other place for the manufacture, sale, storing for sale, giving away or furnishing of the same within their repective counties; and to provide for penalties and rights of action in case of its violation," approved June 29, 1889, being compiler's sections 2283a, 2283a^1, 2283a^2, 2283a^3, 2283a^5, 2283a^7, 2283a^8, 2283b^1, 2283b^2, 2283b^3, 2283b^4, 2283b^5, 2283b^6, 2283b^8 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; tabled February 22 438

504. A bill to amend act No. 113 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation and regulation of the business of manufacturing, selling, keeping for sale, furnishing, giving, or delivering spirituous and intoxicating liquors, and malt, brewed or fermented liquors and vinous liquors in this State, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," by adding thereto a new section to stand as section No. 35 of said act:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; tabled February 22 439
taken up; referred to committee on liquor traffic May 11 1201
substitute ordered printed May 11 1203
file No. 239.
committee of whole May 18 1325-37
committee of whole; third reading May 18 1338
motion to table lost May 19 1350
passed; title amended; transmitted May 19 1372-4
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1608

505. A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16 and 29, 43, 45 and 46, and to repeal section 17 of act No. 135 of the session laws of 1885, entitled "An act to amend, revise and consolidate the laws organizing asylums for the insane and regulating the care and management thereof, and of the inmates therein, and to repeal act 164, laws of 1859; also act 194, laws of 1877; also act 91, laws of 1873, and the acts amendatory thereto; also act 172, laws of 1873:"
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; tabled February 22 439

506. A bill to amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of act No. 122 of the public acts of the year 1877, entitled "An act for the incorporation of associations for yachting, hunting, fishing, boating, rowing, and other lawful sporting purposes," approved May 14, 1877, the same being sections 4817, 4818 and 4819 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Gilbert; tabled February 22 439

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507. A bill to amend act No. 72, of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act relating to telephone companies and regulating the use and rental of telephones in this State:"
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 22 ... 439
508. A bill to amend by adding a new section to stand as section 39, chapter 118 of the revised statutes of 1846, being compiler's chapter 282 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, entitled "The voluntary dissolution of corporations and of the abatement of suits by and against them:"
introduced by Mr. McGinley; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 22 ... 439
reported; referred to committee on judiciary March 23 ... 781
509. A bill to provide for the sanitary condition of the State capitol building with reference to sewerage and water supply:
introduced by Mr. Champion; tabled February 22 ... 440
taken up; referred to committee on public buildings May 16 ... 1271
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 17 ... 1302
reported; general order May 26 ... 1561
committee of whole; third reading May 26 ... 1567
passed; immediate effect; transmitted May 26 ... 1568
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 ... 1596
reported enrolled May 29 ... 1608
510. A bill to provide for the establishing of an asylum for the incurable insane, and providing for an appropriation therefor:
introduced by Mr. Champion; tabled February 22 ... 440
511. A bill to repeal sections 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101 and 102 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, and so much of all other acts and parts of acts as relate to the registration of electors in townships:
introduced by Mr. Champion; tabled February 22 ... 440
512. A bill to amend section 15 of chapter 26 of act No. 178 of the public acts of 1873, being section 2707 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to paying or contracting for payment by municipal authorities of cities for improvements, work, repairs or expenses:
introduced by Mr. Champion; tabled February 22 ... 440
513. A bill to provide for the keeping of a watchman by all railroad companies in the State of Michigan, at every regular station or stopping place for the transportation of passengers and freight, for the purpose of preventing injury to cattle, horses, and other domestic animals, and to recover damages for injury to any animals caused by reason of failure to comply with this act:
introduced by Mr. Champion; tabled February 22 ... 440
514. A bill providing for the purchase of additional land at the Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane at Ionia, and making an appropriation therefor:
introduced by Mr. Champion; tabled February 22 ... 440
515. A bill to amend an act to establish a board of building inspectors in and for the city of Detroit, to define the powers and duties, being chapter 16, charter of the city of Detroit, act approved June 17, 1885:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on cities and villages February 22 ... 441

III.—HISTORY OF SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

Numbered as introduced. Printed joint resolutions are given a file number.

1. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 15, article IV, of the constitution of this State, relative to the compensation of members of the Legislature:

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introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on constitutional amendments January 10 ... 56
reported; general order January 18 ... 109
file No. 3.
considered in committee of whole January 31 ... 171
committee of whole; third reading February 1 ... 186
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 1 ... 188
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1610

2. Joint resolution to amend section 1 of article VII of the constitution of this State, relative to the qualification of electors:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on elections January 11 ... 70
reported; ordered printed January 19 ... 136
file No. 4.
reported; general order February 1 ... 178
committee of whole; third reading February 1 ... 186
passed; title amended; immediate effect; transmitted February 1 ... 187
returned; substituted; concurred in; referred for enrollment May 19 ... 1364
reported enrolled May 22 ... 1392
approved May 25 ... 1527

3. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 3 of article IV of the constitution of the State of Michigan, relative to the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; ordered printed and referred to committee on State Affairs January 12 ... 80
file No. 1.
reported; general order February 7 ... 228
committee of whole; third reading March 9 ... 656
not passed; reconsidered; tabled March 9 ... 657
taken up; passed; motion to reconsider tabled; transmitted May 18 ... 1318
returned; non-concurred in May 29 ... 1610

4. A joint resolution to amend section 3 of article XVIII of the constitution of this State, relative to the employment and confinement of convicts and the use of machinery in prisons in this State:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; ordered printed and referred to committee on labor interests January 12 ... 81
file No. 2.

5. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 1, article IX, of the constitution of this State, relative to the salaries of State officers:
introduced by Mr. Gibson; referred to committee on constitutional amendments January 13 ... 170
reported; general order January 31 ... 172
file No. 5.
considered in committee of whole February 2 ... 202
recommitted February 6 ... 225
reported; general order February 21 ... 427
committee of whole; third reading February 24 ... 456
passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 25 ... 464
returned; referred for enrollment March 8 ... 641
reported enrolled March 9 ... 652
approved March 13 ... 663

6. A joint resolution to amend section 1 of article VIII of the constitution of this State, relative to the time of electing the Superintendent of Public Instruction:
introduced by Mr. Jordan; referred to committee on constitutional amendments February 1 ... 183

7. A joint resolution requesting the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States to propose and submit to the legislatures of the several states an amendment to the constitution of the United States, providing for the election of United States senators on a general ticket by the people of each state:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on constitutional amendments February 2 ... 199
reported; general order February 2 ... 202
file No. 6.

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committee of whole; third reading February 8 ... 255
tabled February 9 ... 264
taken up; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 15 ... 318
returned; referred for enrollment February 17 ... 350
reported enrolled February 21 ... 396
approved February 21 ... 396
8. A joint resolution for the relief of Fred C. Harvey, private of company D, 4th infantry, Michigan State troops, who was injured at the annual encampment of State troops at Camp Winans, Island lake, Michigan, August 23 1892:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; referred to committee on military affairs February 7 ... 216
reported; general order February 16 ... 330
file No. 7.
referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 28 ... 478
reported; general order March 7 ... 620
committee of whole; third reading March 7 ... 621
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 8 ... 649
returned; referred for enrollment March 9 ... 659
reported enrolled March 16 ... 709
approved March 16 ... 712
9. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 9, article XIV of the constitution of this State, relative to works of internal improvement therein authorizing the city of Grand Rapids to issue its bonds for the improvement of Grand river:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on cities and villages February 7 ... 230
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 15 ... 316
returned; amended; concurred in; referred for enrollment March 2 ... 578
reported enrolled March 6 ... 604
approved March 6 ... 605
10. A joint resolution authorizing the Governor to issue a patent to Micheal O'Donnell for the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 16, in town 7 north of range 10 west, the same being primary school land:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on State affairs February 7 ... 230
11. A joint resolution proposing to amend section 1 of article VI of the constitution of this State, relative to the judiciary department:
introduced by Mr. Hopkins; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary February 7 ... 230
reported; general order March 2 ... 571
file No. 9.
committee of whole; third reading March 7 ... 621
not passed March 8 ... 648
reconsidered; tabled March 9 ... 654
taken up; recommitted May 18 ... 1322
12. Joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors and the State Librarian to procure and ship certain volumes of the Michigan supreme court reports and Howell's annotated statutes to the clerk of the United States court of appeals:
introduced by Mr. Weiss; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted February 10 ... 274
returned; referred for enrollment February 16 ... 345
reported enrolled February 21 ... 396
approved February 21 ... 397
13. A joint resolution authorizing the Governor to issue a commission to Frank D. Baldwin as lieutenant colonel of the 19th Michigan Infantry, to date from May 15, 1865:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; tabled February 17 ... 356
taken up; referred to committee on military affairs March 14 ... 672
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 29 ... 842
returned; referred for enrollment March 29 ... 857
reported enrolled March 30 ... 864
approved April 5 ... 871

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14. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 8, article VI of the constitution of this State, relative to circuit courts:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on constitutional amendments February 17 ... 356
reported; general order February 24 ... 452
file No. 8.
committee of whole; third reading March 8 ... 645
passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 9 ... 654
returned; referred for enrollment March 13 ... 666
reported enrolled March 15 ... 685
approved March 16 ... 709
15. A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to examine, settle and pay any claim found due James Corcoran by the State of Michigan:
introduced by Mr. Turnbull; referred to committee on State affairs February 17 ... 357
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 17 ... 722
reported; general order April 7 ... 894
committee of whole; third reading April 11 ... 918
passed; titled amended; immediate effect; transmitted April 13 ... 935
amended title: A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate, examine, settle and pay any claim found to be due the Presque Isle lumber company of Hammond's bay, Presque Isle county, Michigan, against the State of Michigan for damages or compensation arising from the seizure by the trespass agents of the State of Michigan, or a certain lot of cedar cut by it on portions of the northeast quarter of section 35, township 35 north of range 2 east, claimed by the said trespass agents to have been a trespass upon State lands:
returned; House amendments concurred in; retransmitted May 11 ... 1213
re-returned; conference committee appointed May 17 ... 1300
report tabled May 23 ... 1430
conference committee report adopted; referred for enrollment May 24 ... 1452
reported enrolled May 26 ... 1553
approved May 26 ...
16. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 1 of article VII of the constitution of the State, relative to the qualification of electors:
introduced by Mr. McLaughlin; referred to committee on judiciary February 20 ... 382
17. Joint resolution to provide for a revision of the constitution of the State of Michigan, by a commission, and to prescribe its powers and duties:
introduced by Mr. Wilkins; referred to committee on constitutional amendments February 20 ... 386
file No. 10.
18. Joint resolution relative to refunding certain taxes heretofore paid by the county of Grand Traverse in this State:
introduced by Mr. Mears; referred to committee on claims and public accounts February 20 ... 386
19. A joint resolution providing for the appointment, by the Governor, of commissioners to revise the legal procedure of this State:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on judiciary February 21 ... 408
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 14 670
20. Joint resolution to amend section 1 of article 6 of the constitution of this State:
introduced by Mr. Barnard; referred to committee on constitutional amendments February 21 ... 424
21. Joint resolution for the relief of Albert B. Judd:
introduced by Mr. Clapp; referred to committee on State affairs February 21 ... 424
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations, April 6 ... 882
reported; general order without printing April 12 ... 923
committee of whole; third reading April 14 ... 951
passed; immediate effect; transmitted April 19 ... 981
returned; referred for enrollment May 24 ... 1480
reported enrolled May 26 ... 1553
approved May 26 ...

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22. A joint resolution providing for the adjustment of certain claims of the county of Muskegon against the State:
introduced by Mr. Turnbull (for Mr. Brundage); tabled February 21 431
taken up; referred to committee on claims and public accounts March 14 672
23. Joint resolution directing the Board of State Auditors to settle the claim of Mrs. Mary A. Roop, of the township of Pine River, Gratiot county, Michigan, and to take such action therein as they may deem best:
introduced by Mr. Steel; tabled February 21 423
taken up; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 24 .. 1490
reported; substituted; general order May 26 1550
committee of whole; third reading May 26 1551
passed; transmitted May 26 1552
returned; referred for enrollment May 26 1595

IV.—SENATE HISTORY OF HOUSE BILLS.

Numbered in order of introduction in House. File numbers are given to printed bills.

1. A bill to amend act 126 of the session laws of 1863, entitled "An act to provide for and regulate the transfer of personal estates held in trust," approved March 17, 1863; the same being compiler's sections numbers 5831, 5832 and 5833 of chapter 220, of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan: file No. 8.
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 1 191
reported; general order February 24 450
committee of whole; recommited March 15 694
reported; general order March 24 806
committee of whole; third reading March 28 831
passed; immediate effect; returned March 28 838
2. Not received.
3. Not received.
4. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 193 of the public acts of 1889, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the relief outside of the Soldiers' Home of honorably discharged indigent union soldiers, sailors and marines, and the indigent wives, widows and minor children of such indigent or deceased union soldiers, sailors and marines:"
received; referred to committee on military affairs January 12 82
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned January 18 108
5. Not received.
6. Not received.
7. Not received.
8. Not received.
9. Not received.
10. Not received.
11. Not received.
12. Not received.
13. Not received.
14. Not received.
15. Not received.
16. Not received.
17. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of McMillan, in the county of Luce, in the State of Michigan, and to organize the township of Columbus in said county:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships January 17 .. 97
reported; general order January 18 109
committee of whole discharged; re-referred to committee on counties and townships January 19 140
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned January 20 144

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18. A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 6 of an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to public institutions and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act," being act No. 164 of the public acts of 1881, as amended by act No. 56 of public acts of 1887, being section 5103 of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 2.
received; referred to committee on education and public schools January 17 ... 100
reported; general order January 18 ... 109
committee of whole; third reading ... 140
tabled pending third reading ... 141
taken up; rules suspended: passed; immediate effect; returned January 20 ... 159
19. A bill to amend an act entitled "Act to provide a charter for the city of Detroit, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith," approved June 7, 1883, by adding a new chapter thereto:
file No. 144.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 8 ... 629
ordered reprinted for use of committee March 8 ... 638
file No. 205.
reported with amendments; pending concurrence in amendments; ordered printed in journal and placed on order of unfinished business March 16 ... 702
taken up; amendments concurred in, rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 17 ... 724
20. A bill to amend section 4 of act No. 352 of the local acts of 1881, entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Holly, and to repeal act No, 119 of the session laws of 1865, relative to the incorporation of said village and all acts amendatory thereof:
file No. 101.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 6 ... 607
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 7 ... 608
21. A bill to authorize proceedings in the circuit courts in chancery, in relation to the laying out, dividing and platting into lots, streets and alleys, of land owned by infants, idiots, lunatics and other incompetent persons:
file No. 35.
received; referred to committee on Judiciary February 10 ... 272
reported; general order April 10 ... 902
committee of whole; third reading April 13 ... 945
passed; returned April 14 ... 950
22. Not received.
23. Not received.
24. Not received.
25. Not received.
26. A bill to appropriate money for the purpose of making an exhibit of the resources and products of the State of Michigan at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in the year 1893, and providing for the appointment of two additional members of the board of managers:
received; referred to committee on finance and appropriations January 12 ... 77
reported with substitute entitled: A bill to appropriate money for the purpose of making an exhibit of the resources and products of the State of Michigan at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three; pending concurrence in adoption of substitute, tabled February 2 ... 195
taken up; substitute non-concurred in; general order February 24 ... 457
committee of whole; third reading; not passed; reconsidered; tabled March 8 ... 589
taken up; amended; passed; title amended so as to read as follows: A bill to appropriate money for the purpose of making an exhibit of the resources of the State of Michigan at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in the year 1893; motion to reconsider lost; returned April 25 ... 1030
27. A bill to amend Sec. 1 of act No. 221 of the laws of Michigan for the year 1865, entitled "An act requiring judges of probate, in certain cases, to give notice to foreign consuls, of an application for administration in the estate of deceased persons," approved March 18, 1865, being compiler's Sec. 6812 of

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Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan:
file No. 34.
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 10 ... 273
28. Not received.
29. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 161 of the session laws of 1850, entitled "An act for the protection of sheep and other domestic animals and for other purposes," the same being section 2119 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, and to add thereto another section to be known as section No. 6 of said act:
file No. 201.
received; referred to committee on agricultural interests April 12 ... 928
reported; referred to committee on judiciary April 18 ... 964
30. Not received.
31. A bill to provide for the appointment of an assistant prosecuting attorney for the county of Muskegon, and to prescribe his duties, powers and salary:
received; referred to committee on judiciary January 17 ... 101
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned January 18 ... 107
32. Not received.
33. Not received.
34. A bill making an appropriation of $25,000 as a working capital for the Eastern Michigan Asylum:
file No. 32.
received; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 10 ... 272
reported; referred to committee on asylums for the insane March 23 ... 780
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 23 ... 780
reported; general order March 23 ... 781
committee of whole; third reading March 23 ... 791
passed; immediate effect; returned March 23 ... 794
35. A bill to amend act No. 396 of the session laws of 1889, entitled "An act to organize fractional school district No. 1, of the city and township of Ironwood, in the county of Gogebic:"
file No. 4.
received; referred to committee on education and public schools February 1 ... 189
reported; general order February 3 ... 210
committee of whole; third reading February 8 ... 264
tabled February 9 ... 265
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned March 1 ... 539
36. A bill to incorporate the village of Coloma in the county of Berrien:
file No. 17.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 9 ... 260
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 23 ... 443
37. A bill to authorize the township of Crystal Falls in the county of Iron to borrow money to be used in paying the outstanding indebtedness of said township and to issue bonds therefor:
file No. 27.
received; referred to committee on counties and townships February 7 ... 238
reported; general order February 8 ... 242
committee of whole; referred to committee on taxation February 10 ... 277
reported with amendments; amendments concurred in; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 8 ... 639
38. Not received.
39. A bill to fix the per diem compensation of members of the State legislature from the upper peninsula for and during the session of 1893:
file No. 36.
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 9 ... 259
40. A bill to provide for the incorporation of the State Grand Lodge and subordinate lodges of the order of Hermann's Sons in the State of Michigan:
file No. 154.
received; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies May 4 ... 1120
reported; general order May 5 ... 1130
committee of whole; third reading May 9 ... 1156
passed; immediate effect; returned May 10 ... 1178

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41. A bill to reorganize and incorporate the public schools of the city of Mount Pleasant:
file No. 6.
received; referred to committee on education and public schools February 1 ... 190
reported; general order February 6 ... 219
committee of whole discharged; amended; referred to general order February 7 ... 234
committee of whole; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 8 ... 254
42. A bill to provide for the election of overseers of highways by ballot in the township of Ecorse, in the county of Wayne, and State of Michigan:
file No. 5.
received; referred to committee on roads and bridges February 1 ... 190
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 8 ... 244
43. Not received.
44. A bill to authorize the township of Leroy, in the county of Ingham, to settle and adjust the claim of the holders of certain highway orders issued by S. C. Stow, commissioner of highways of said township in June and July, 1891, to W. H. Chidester, to the amount of $986.29:
file No. 47.
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 16. 714
45. Not received.
46. Not received.
47. A bill to provide for the continuance of the recompilation and copying of the records in the office of the Adjutant General, pertaining to the enlistment, muster, history and final disposition of the soldiers and sailors from this State during the war of the rebellion and to make an appropriation therefor:
file No. 7.
received; referred to committee on military affairs February 1 ... 190
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 3 ... 210
reported; general order February 9 ... 258
committee of whole; third reading February 9 ... 266
passed; immediate effect; returned February 10 ... 275
48. Not received.
49. A bill to amend section 4 of article IV of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State:
file No. 48.
received; referred to committee on railroads February 14 ... 302
reported; general order April 14 ... 947
committee of whole; third reading April 18 ... 969
passed; returned April 19 ... 984
50. A bill to amend sections 7 and 8 added to act No. 246 of the public acts of 1861, entitled "An act to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes for the passage of fish through dams across the streams of this State," approved March 16, 1861, as amended, the same being compiler's sections 2155 and 2156 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
file No. 186.
received; referred to committee on fisheries April 12 ... 924
reported; amended; general order May 9 ... 1145
committee of whole; all after enacting clause stricken out May 20 ... 1379
51. A bill to amend act No. 232 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of all manufacturing companies, except such as are contemplated by act No. 42 of the session laws of 1867, which provides for the incorporation of persons or corporations engaged in the manufacture of salt, and mercantile companies, or any union of the two, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such corporations," as amended by act No. 170 of the public acts of 1889, being chapter 124a of

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third Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, by adding thereto one new section to be known as section 38:
file No. 293.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations May 10 ... 1161
reported; general order May 16 ... 1274
committee of whole; third reading May 20 ... 1387
passed; returned May 22 ... 1411
52. Not received.
53. A bill to provide for the incorporation of associations for the purpose of erecting and owning buildings to be occupied for stores, offices, halls, and lodge, society and association rooms:
file No. 56.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations March 22 ... 865
reported with substitute; concurred in; general order April 10 ... 903
committee of whole; third reading April 13 ... 945
passed; tabled April 14 ... 950
taken up; immediate effect; returned April 14 ... 956
requested from House May 4 ... 1125
received; reconsidered; referred to committee on State affairs May 9 ... 1142
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 10 ... 1158
requested from House May 17 ... 1286
received; reconsidered; vote on concurring in substitute reconsidered; referred to committee on banks and corporations May 17 ... 1299
reported; general order May 18 ... 1333
committee of whole discharged; passed; immediate effect; returned May 19 ... 1341
54. A bill to legalize the action of the board of supervisors of the county of Berrien, in detaching certain territory from the township of Berrien and attaching the same to the township of Sodus, in said county:
file No. 23.
received; referred to committee on counties and townships February 7 ... 238
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 8 ... 242
55. Not received.
56. Not received.
57. Not received.
58. A bill relative to justices' courts in the city of Grand Rapids, to reduce the number thereof, and to fix the compensation of such justices and provide a a clerk and offices therefor:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 17 ... 736
reported; amended; concurred in; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 21 ... 752
59. A bill to amend section 13 of act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and prevent fraud and deception at elections in this State," approved July 3, 1891:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 8 ... 638
60. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 79 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to authorize the judges of probate of certain counties to appoint a register, and prescribing his duties and compensation" as amended by subsequent acts amendatory thereof, being section 535 of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 311.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 18 ... 1310
reported; general order May 24 ... 1474
committee of whole; third reading May 24 ... 1502
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 ... 1509
61. Not received.
62. Not received.
63. Not received.
64. Not received.
65. Not received.
66. A bill to vacate the township of Damon, in the county of Ogemaw, and to incorporate its territory within the adjoining townships of Foster and Rose, in the county of Ogemaw:
file No. 22.

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received; referred to committee on counties and townships February 7.. 238
reported; general order February 8..... 241
committee of whole; third reading February 9..... 266
passed; immediate effect; returned February 10..... 276
67. Not received.
68. Not received.
69. A bill to authorize the incorporation of associations and companies for the purpose of engaging in the business of conveying passengers, mails, merchandise and baggage with carriages, hacks, busses, wagon, sleighs and other vehicles, and for the transfer of passengers, merchandise and baggage by hack, bus, transfer and baggage companies:
file No. 171.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations April 10..... 905
reported; amended; concurred in; general order April 28..... 1085
committee of whole; third reading May 2..... 1092
passed; immediate effect; returned May 2..... 1095
70. Not received.
71. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 379 of the local acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the compensation and prescribe the duties of certain officers of the county of Kent," approved June 26, 1891:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships January 19.. 138
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned January 20..... 144
72. A bill to authorize the city of Ann Arbor to raise money to construct a system of sewers:
file No. 16.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 16..... 345
reported; amended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 17.... 348
73. A bill to authorize and empower and enable the city of Ann Arbor to construct and maintain a system of sewerage and to raise the necessary money therefor:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 25.. 1517
74. Not received.
75. Not received.
76. Not received.
77. Not received.
78. A bill to amend section 86, paragraph 578, of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the compensation of sheriffs:
file No. 68.
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 20..... 370
reported; substituted; general order March 22..... 761
committee of whole; third reading March 23..... 792
not passed; reconsidered; tabled March 24..... 811
79. Not received.
80. A bill to reincorporate the village of Byron, in the county of Shiawassee:
file No. 14.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 9..... 267
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 17..... 348
81. Not received.
82. A bill to amend sections 3, 4, 20, 21, 23, 28, 45 and 46 of an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Schoolcraft," approved March 12, 1869, as revised by act No. 396 of the local acts of 1875:
file No. 13.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 14..... 301
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned February 28..... 475
83. Not received.
84. A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for constructing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and setting, for a water tower, for electric lighting, for new engines and setting, and for a physician's cottage at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo:
received; rule 26 suspended; passed; title amended to read as follows: A bill making an appropriation for building one colony house, for con-

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structing new boiler and engine house, for new boilers and setting, for a water tower, for electric lighting and for new engines and setting, at the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo; returned May 17. 1298

85. Not received.

86. A bill authorizing incorporated villages to own and control cemeteries either within or without their corporate limits:
file No. 30.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 13 282
reported; general order March 21 752
committee of whole; third reading March 24 812
passed March 27 820
immediate effect; returned March 28 830

87. A bill to incorporate the village of Deerfield, county of Lenawee:
file No. 19.
receive; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 371
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 24 447

88. A bill to establish a home and training school for the feeble minded and epileptic, and making an appropriation for the same:
file No. 153.
received; referred to committee on State affairs April 10 904
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 18 964
reported; general order May 24 1493
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1502
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 1509

89. A bill to amend sections 1, 13, 14, 66, 69, 87 and 215 of act No. 215 of the session laws of 1859, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Owosso," approved February 15, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof:
file No. 18.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 23 444
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 1 527

90. Not received.

91. Not received.

92. A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 5 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the election of a county commissioner of schools, for the appointment of school examiners [and] to define the duties and fix the compensation of the same, and to repeal all existing acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act:"
file No. 69.
received; referred to committee on elections March 15 687
reported; general order March 21 754
committee of whole; third reading March 21 755
passed; returned March 22 768
requested from House March 30 859
returned; title amended to read as follows: A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 5, of act No. 147 of the public acts of 1891, approved June 19, 1891, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the election of a county commissioner of schools, for the appointment of school examiners, and to define the duties and fix the compensation for the same, and to repeal all existing acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act;" returned April 5 877

93. Not received.

94. A bill to prohibit engaging in the business of selling, keeping for sale, offering, selling, furnishing, giving away or delivering spirituous, intoxicating, malt, brewed, fermented or vinous liquors upon the waters within the jurisdiction of this State, lying outside the boundaries of any city, village or township, and to provide a penalty therefor together with the common jurisdiction of certain counties in relation thereto:
file No. 10.
received; referred to committee on liquor traffic February 6 223
reported; general order February 15 313
committee of whole; third reading February 16 344
passed; immediate effect; returned February 17 361

95. Not received.

96. Not received.

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97. A bill to amend section 27 of act No. 179 of the public acts of 1891, being an act entitled "An act to establish, protect and enforce by lien the rights of mechanics and other persons furnishing labor or materials for the building, altering, improving, repairing, erecting or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures, and to repeal all acts contravening the provisions of this act," approved July 1, 1891:
file No. 59.
received; referred to committee on labor interests May 10 1180
reported adversely; tabled May 12 1226

98. A bill to detach certain territory from the townships of Iron River and Bates, in the county of Iron, State of Michigan, and to organize the township of Atkinson in said county, and to provide for the registration of electors and holding the first township meeting in said township:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships February 6 .. 223
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 7 233

99. Not received.

100. Not received.

101. A bill conferring upon cities and villages in this State the power to construct, acquire by purchase, operate and maintain works for the purpose of supplying such cities and villages and the inhabitants thereof with gas, electric and other lights.
file No. 29.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 3 1106

102. A bill to amend sections 36, 39, 45 of act No. 248 of the session laws of 1869, the same being an act to incorporate the village of Lawton.
file No. 28.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 28 481
reported; tabled March 1 526
taken up; re-referred to committee on cities and villages March 1 540
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 7. 617

103. Not received.

104. Not received.

105. A bill to reincorporate the city of Ironwood, in the county of Gogebic, and add territory thereto and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith.
file No. 24.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 6 221
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 16 338

106. Not received.

107. A bill to legalize and make valid certain township bonds issued by the township of Bruce, in the county of Chippewa, on the first day of February, A. D. 1889:
received; referred to committee on county and townships March 24 818
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 28. 827

108. Not received.

109. Not received.

110. Not received.

111. Not received.

112. Not received.

113. Not received.

114. Not received.

115. Not received.

116. Not received.

117 Not received.

118. Not received.

119. Not received.

120. A bill to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and [deception] deceptions at elections in this State, the same being act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act.
received; referred to committee on elections March 8 640
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 15. 682

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121. A bill providing for the conditional sale, lease or hire of railroad and street railway equipments and rolling stock, and providing for the recording of the contract or agreement thereof:
file No. 238.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations April 12 926
reported; general order April 21 1036
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 11 1209
passed; immediate effect; returned May 11 1212
122. Not received.
123. A bill to provide the manner of proving the breeding of horses:
file No. 340.
received; referred to committee on agricultural interests May 23 1417
reported; general order May 24 1457
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1502
passed; returned May 26 1589
124. A bill to reincorporate the village of White Pigeon, in St. Joseph county:
file No. 43.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 9 267
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 24 449
125. A bill to prohibit the taking, catching or destruction of fish in Raisin river of this State:
file No. 41.
received; referred to committee on State affairs February 10 272
reported; referred to committee on fisheries March 16 708
reported; general order March 21 753
committee of whole; third reading March 24 812
passed; returned March 27 821
126. Not received.
127. Not received.
128. Not received.
129. Not received.
130. Not received.
131. Not received.
132. A bill to provide for the erection of two cottages for patients, to purchase lands, to erect a barn at the Northern Michigan Asylum, Traverse City, Michigan, and making appropriations therefor:
file No. 243.
received; referred to committee on asylums for the insane April 21 1014
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 25 1034
reported; re-referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 5 1130
reported; general order May 5 1137
committee of whole; third reading May 9 1144
passed; immediate effect; returned May 9 1154
133. Not received.
134. A bill to prohibit the use of the four-wheeled caboose or "jumper" on any of the railroads of this State, and to provide a penalty therefor:
file No. 140.
received; referred to committee on railroads April 19 975
135. Not received.
136. Not received.
137. A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 11 of act No. 354 of the local acts of 1887, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Midland," as amended by act No. 353 of the local acts of 1891:
file No. 42.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 17 350
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 24 446
138. A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 216 of the public acts of 1889, being an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation, and prescribe the duties of the stenographer of the 21st judicial circuit," being section 6534i of Howell's annotated statutes:
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 28 1082
reported; rules suspended; passed; ordered to take effect January 1, 1894; returned May 2 1096

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139. A bill to amend sections 4 and 6 of act number 145 of the session laws of 1867, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of masonic lodges," as amended by act number 180 of the session laws of 1867, the same being compiler's sections 4475 and 4476 of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 90.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations March 29 846
reported; general order April 7 899
committee of whole; third reading April 11 918
passed; immediate effect; returned April 13 936
140. Not received.
141. A bill to incorporate the village of McBain:
file No. 44.
received; referred to committed on cities and villages February 20 370
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 1 535
142. Not received.
143. Not received.
144. A bill providing for two voting precincts in the township of Stephenson, in the county of Menominee, defining the limits thereof, providing for a new registration of the voters thereof and determining who shall be inspectors of election and members of the board of registration therein:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships March 8 640
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 9 .. 658
145. Not received.
146. A bill making an appropriation for the building of two detached cottages for patients, for a patients' library and for hall painting and renovating at the Eastern Michigan asylum:
file No. 259.
received; referred to committee on asylums for the insane April 17 951
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 16 .. 1268
reported; general order May 17 1281
committee of whole; third reading May 20 1381
passed May 22 1396
immediate effect; returned May 23 1439
147. A bill to enable any town, county or district agricultural society, heretofore organized under the laws of this State; whose term of corporate existence has expired or is about to expire by limitation, to reorganize for a further period, not exceeding 30 years, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations, associations or societies:
file No. 67.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations February 16. 331
reported; general order February 24 448
committee of whole; ordered to third reading February 24 456
tabled February 27 470
taken up; general order March 8 636
committee of whole; amended; ordered printed and referred to committee on judiciary March 8 637
reported with substitute; concurred in; general order March 28 829
committee of whole; substituted; concurred in; third reading March 29. 858
passed; reconsidered; tabled March 29 853
taken up; vote on substitution reconsidered; substitute non-concurred in; re-referred to committee on banks and corporations May 18 1322
reported; general order May 18 1328
committee of whole discharged; rules suspended; passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned May 19 1346
148. A bill to authorize the village of Howard City, in the county of Montcalm, to raise money to make public improvements in said village:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 1 .. 538
149. Not received.
150. A bill to prohibit catching or taking small mouth black bass in Walloon lake situated in the counties of Charlevoix and Emmet:
file No. 49.
received; referred to committee on State affairs February 10 279
reported; referred to committee on fisheries March 16 708
reported; general order April 7 898
committee of whole; third reading April 11 918

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passed; ordered to take effect 30 days after approval by Governor; returned April 13 934

151. Not received.

152. A bill to authorize the Lansing city electric railway company to extend its electric street railway in the township of Lansing, in the county of Ingham in and along the highway extending from the eastern terminus of Michigan avenue in the city of Lansing to the grounds of the Michigan Agricultural College, to regulate the construction and operation thereof, and to provide a penalty for the obstruction of said railway:
file No. 257.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations April 14 954
reported; general order April 19 973
committee of whole; third reading April 19 986
passed; immediate effect; returned April 20 1005

153. A bill providing for the protection of Antwerp or Homing pigeons:
file No. 277.
received; referred to committee on State affairs May 5 1133
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 16 1265
requested from house May 18 1324
returned; vote ordering bill to take immediate effect reconsidered; ordered to take effect June 1, 1893; returned May 20 1387

154. Not received.

155. Not received.

156. A bill making an appropriation for the use of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane:
file No. 230.
received; referred to committee on Asylum for Criminal Insane April 7 899
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 13 932
reported; general order April 20 991
committee of whole; amended; third reading April 21 1025
passed April 24 1028
immediate effect; returned April 26 1039

157. A bill making an appropriation for the purchase of books for the State library for the years 1893, 1894:
received; referred to committee on State library February 8 248
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 9 259
reported; amended; general order March 29 843
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 30 866
passed; immediate effect; returned April 5 874

158. A bill to amend section 1 of act 254 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Mackinaw City, in the county of Cheboygan:"
file No. 57.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 28 482
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 2 565

159. A bill making an appropriation for the Michigan School for the Deaf, for the years 1893 and 1894:
received; referred to committee on Institution for the Deaf and Dumb April 14 955

160. Not received.

161. Not received.

162. A bill to amend sections 43, 62, 74, 77, 78, 80, 96 and 106 of act No. 200 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy of taxes thereon, and for the collection of taxes heretofore and hereafter levied, and to repeal act No. 195 of the session laws of 1889, except as provided in this act, and all other acts or parts of acts in anywise contravening any of the provisions of this act:"
file No. 55.
received; referred to committee on taxation February 20 371
reported; general order February 25 467
committee of whole; tabled February 28 478
taken up; ordered to third reading March 7 621
passed; immediate effect; returned March 8 649

163. Not received.

164. A bill to amend section 3 of chapter 35 of the revised statutes of 1846, being compiler's section No. 1635 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to the board of health, its powers and duties:

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received; referred to committee on counties and townships April 21 1024
reported; general order April 25 1034
committee of whole; third reading May 9 1155
passed; returned May 10 1175
165. A bill to allow the use of the Rhines vote recorder, or any other vote recorder of similar construction and principle, in all township, city and village elections held in this State:
file No. 253.
received; referred to committee on elections April 5 871
reported; genefal order April 25 1035
considered in committee of whole May 9 1144
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 18 1322
passed; returned May 19 1347
166. Not received.
167. A bill to amend section 10 of chapter 150 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 5660 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to deeds and conveyances as amended by act No. 112 of the public acts of 1891:
file No. 53:
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 14 302
reported; general order March 8 626
committee of whole; tabled March 9 656
tabled March 13 667
taken up; passed; returned May 23 1439
168. A bill to incorporate the village of Addison, in Lenawee county:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 9 260
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 15 314
169. Not received.
170. A bill making it a misdemeanor for any person to willfully and maliciously use obscene and insulting language toward another and in the presence of such other person of such a nature as is calculated to provoke such other person or persons to commit an assault or assault and battery, or other breach of the peace, and to provide a penalty therefor:
file No. 60.
received; referred to committee on judiciary February 16 331
reported; general order March 7 619
committee of whole; third reading March 8 637
not passed; reconsidered; tabled March 8 647
171. Not received.
172. Not received.
173. A bill to detach certain territory from the present township of Baraga in Baraga county, and to organize the same into a separate township to be be known as the township of Covington in said county:
file No. 209.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 20 747
174. A bill to provide for the location, establishment and organization of an asylum for the insane in the upper peninsula:
received; referred to committee on State affairs April 21 1012
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 10 1159
reported; general order May 18 1328
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 20 1381
passed; immediate effect; returned May 23 1419
motion to request House to return bill lost May 23 1433
175. A bill to incorporate the village of Benzonia in the county of Benzie:
file No. 74.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 23 444
reported; amended; general order April 19 971
committee of whole; re-referred to committee on cities and villages April 24 1029
176. A bill to amend sections 1, 4, 6, 9, 10, 12, 18 and 23 of act No. 276 laws of 1889 as amended by act No. 152 laws of 1891, entitled "An act for the protection of game:"
file No. 260.
received; referred to committee on State affairs May 2 1088
177. Not received.

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178. Not received.
179. Not received.
180. Not received.
181. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Portage in the county of Houghton and annex the same to the village of Houghton:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 7 236
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 16 329
182. A bill to amend act No. 166 of the session laws of 1891, entitled "An act for the protection of fish in lakes and streams of the county of St. Joseph, State of Michigan, for the period of two years from and after the passage of this act," approved June 26, 1891:
file No. 134.
received; referred to committee on fisheries April 5 879
reported; general order April 11 913
committee of whole; third reading April 20 1007
passed; immediate effect; returned April 21 1018
183. Not received.
184. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Rogers in the county of Presque Isle in this State, and to organize the township of Beringer in said county:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships March 2 575
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 8 635
185. A bill to incorporate the city of Hudson and to repeal all acts and parts of acts relating to the incorporation of the village of Hudson and the common council of the village of Hudson:
received referred to committee on cities and villages February 8 246
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; ordered to take effect March 1, 1893; returned February 9 266
186. A bill to prevent the spread of the contagious diseases known as yellows and black knot among peach, plum, cherry, prune, almond, apricot and nectarine trees or the fruit thereof by providing measures for the eradication of the same, and to repeal act No. 158 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prevent the spread of the yellows, a contagious disease among peach, almond, apricot and nectarine trees, and to provide measures for the eradication of the same, and to repeal act 32 of the session laws of 1879," approved April 4, 1879:
file No. 327.
received; referred to committee on horticulture May 19 1343
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 19 ... 1369
187. A bill extending the corporate limits of and providing a special charter for the city of Bessemer in the county of Gogebic:
file No. 63.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 9 268
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 1 529
188. Not received.
189. A bill to provide for the discharge from record of statements claiming liens upon real estate:
file No. 371.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 22 1394
reported; general order May 24 1474
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1507
passed; returned May 26 1565
190. A bill to incorporate the city of Grand Ledge, in the county of Eaton, and to repeal act No. 260 of the session laws of 1871 and all acts amendatory thereof:
file No. 64.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 16 715
reported; amended; general order March 21 751
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 21 756
amended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 22 769
191. A bill to prohibit the adulteration of maple sugar, maple molasses and maple syrup:
file No. 319.

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received; referred to committee on public health May 17 ... 1285
reported without recommendation; tabled May 24 ... 1460
taken up; passed; returned May 25 ... 1547
192. A bill to dedicate certain State lands within the city of Lansing to the public for street and highway purposes:
file No. 305.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 11 ... 1199
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; returned May 13 ... 1246
193. A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 32 of the revised statutes of 1846, being section 1581 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to bills of exchange and promissory notes, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith:
file No. 226.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 11 ... 1197
194. Not received.
195. Not received.
196. Not received.
197. Not received.
198. A bill to authorize the board of trustees or common council of the village of Mecosta, Mecosta county, to levy and collect on the taxable property of said village, in addition to other taxes now authorized by law, a tax for public improvement of said village and to issue bonds therefor:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 9 ... 1152
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 10 ... 1182
199. Not received.
200. A bill to incorporate the union of the French Canadian societies of the United States:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 ... 1524
201. Not received.
202. A bill to amend section 22 of act No. 38 of the session laws of 1877, entitled "An act to amend act No. 82 of the session laws of 1873," approved April 15, 1873, by adding one new section thereto, to stand as section 22, providing for the organizing of mutual fire insurance companies to insure property in cities and villages exclusively:
file No. 198.
received; referred to committee on insurance April 19 ... 979
reported; general order May 22 ... 1415
committee of whole; third reading May 24 ... 1455
passed; returned May 24 ... 1491
203. Not received.
204. Not received.
205. Not received.
206. Not received.
207. Not received.
208. Not received.
209. Not received.
210. Not received.
211. Not received.
212. Not received.
213. A bill making appropriation for the State Industrial Home for Girls for the years 1893 and 1894:
file No. 250.
received; referred to committee on Industrial Home for Girls April 14 ... 952
passed; immediate effect; returned May 26 ...
214. A bill to amend section 27 of chapter 1 of act No. 243 of the laws of 1881, being an act entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relative to the establishment, opening, improvement and maintenance of highways and private roads and the building, repairing and preservation of bridges within this State," as amended by act No. 166 of the public acts of 1883 and act No. 231 of the public acts of 1889:
file No. 158.
received; referred to committee on roads and bridges May 3 ... 1108
215. Not received.
216. A bill to amend section 1 of chapter V of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of

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drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," as amended by the several acts amendatory thereto:
file No. 329.
received; referred to committee public improvements May 24 1478
217. A bill to amend section 18 of chapter 131 of Howell's compilation of the general statutes of the State of Michigan, so as to require that all life insurance companies doing business in this State shall, on or before the year 1896, have their liabilities and the valuation of their outstanding policies computed on the basis of American experience life table of a rate of interest of four per centum per annum:
file No. 194.
received; referred to committee on insurance April 14 955
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 26 .. 1579
218. A bill to amend section 9 of act No. 39 of the session laws of 1889, approved April 4, 1889, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the purchase and improvement of grounds to be occupied for summer homes, for camp meetings and assemblies of associations and societies, organized for intellectual and scientific culture and for the promotion of the cause of religion and morality, or for any or all of said purposes," being section 3983e of Howell's annotated statuted, volume 3:
file No. 324.
received; referred to comittee on banks and corporations May 17 1285
reported; general order May 23 1428
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1456
219. Not received.
220. Not received.
221. Not received.
222. Not received.
223. A bill to incorporate the village of Thompsonville in the county of Benzie:
file No. 100.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 3 593
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 7 .. 614
224. Not received.
225. A bill to amend section 1 of chapter 44 of the revised statutes of 1846, being compiler's section 1592 of the compiled laws of 1871, and section 1456 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State Michigan, relative to laws of the road and regulation of public carriages:
file No. 234.
received; referred to committee on roads and bridges April 14 953
226. Not received.
227. Not received.
228. Not received.
229. Not received.
230. Not received.
231. Not received.
232. Not received.
233. Not received.
234. A bill to provide for the free transportation by railroads of this State for all State officers and members of the Legislature:
file No. 71.
received; rules suspended; not passed May 26 1584
reconsidered; not passed May 26 1585
235. Not received.
236. A bill to incorporate the village of Tustin, Osceola county:
file No. 97.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 3 592
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 7 .. 614
237. A bill to authorize the township of Midland, in the county of Midland, to convey certain real estate to the city of Midland:
file No. 107.
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 22 .. 767
238. A bill to provide for a joint cemetery board for the township of Midland, and the city of Midland, and to regulate the powers and duties thereof and to fix the compensation of the members of said board:
file No. 108.

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received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 22 766
239. Not received.
240. A bill to provide for the inspection of illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum or coal oils. and to repeal act No. 127, laws of 1879, as amended by act No. 49 of the laws of 1881, act No. 20 of the laws of 1881 and act No. 71, laws of 1891:
file No. 155.
received; referred to committee on labor interests April 12 925
reported; amended; general order May 12 1225
committee of whole; third reading May 15 1251
amended; passed; tabled May 16 1256
taken up; ordered to take effect July 1, 1893; held pending motion to reconsider May 16 1295
motion to reconsider lost; returned May 18 1315
241. Not received.
242. A bill to prohibit the taking or catching or attempting the taking or catching in any of the rivers or inland waters, of either of the counties of Macomb, St. Clair, Lapeer or Oakland [excepting the river and lake St. Clair] by seine, drag, pound or gill net, or any other devise or means, except by hook and line, fish used or that may be used as bait, and to prescribe penalties for the violation of this act:
file No. 86.
received; referred to committee on fisheries March 8 631
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 11 913
243. Not received.
244. A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 1, sections 7, 8 and 14 of chapter 3, section 6 of chapter 6, section 1 of chapter 8, and to add a new section to chapter 6, to stand as section 16 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains, and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor, and to repeal all other laws relative thereto," approved June 20, 1885, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof:
file No. 281.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 22 1400
reported; placed on order of third reading May 26 1562
passed; immediate effect; returned May 26 1571
245. A bill making an appropriation for additional buildings for the Michigan Mining School at Houghton, Michigan, for the further equipment of the same, and for the support and maintenance of said mining school for the years 1893 and 1894, and to amend section 7 of act No. 239 of the public acts of the State of Michigan of the year 1887, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the erection and equipment of a suitable building for the use of the Mining School at Houghton, in the upper peninsula of Michigan, including all permanent fixtures, heating and lighting apparatus etc.," approved June 24, 1887:
received; referred to committee on Mining School and mining interests April 13 940
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 13 944
reported; amended; general order April 14 956
committee of whole; third reading April 18 969
tabled April 19 983
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned April 20 1001
246. A bill to secure women citizens, who are otherwise qualified, a right to vote in school, village and city elections:
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 19 1357
reported; re-referred May 22 1391
reported; general order May 24 1475
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1502
passed; returned May 25 1541-3
247. A bill to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Detroit and Saline plank road company," approved March 23, 1848, and to provide for winding up the affairs of said company:
file No. 378.
received: referred to committee on judiciary May 24 1463

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reported; rules suspended; not passed; pending motion to reconsider tabled May 26 1561
reconsidered; passed; immediate effect; returned May 26 1590

248. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of "An act to provide blowers in establishments where emery wheels or emery belts are used," being act No. 136 of the session laws of 1887, the same being compiler's sections 1691, 1692, of volume 3 of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 72.
received; referred to committee on labor interests April 20 999
reported; amended; general order April 28 1078
committee of whole; tabled May 2 1094
taken up; third reading May 10 1166
passed; title amended; returned May 11 1205

249. Not received.

250. A bill to amend act No. 20 of the laws of 1855, being "An act for the incorporation of charitable societies," by adding a section thereto to stand as section 7:
file No. 355.
received; rules suspended; passed; returned May 26 1582

251. Not received.

252. A bill to repeal section No. 213 of act No. 215 of session laws of 1859, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Owosso," approved February 15, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 11 1213
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 17 1282

253. A bill to incorporate the village of Concord, Jackson county, and to repeal act No. 227 of the laws of 1871, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Concord," approved March 18, A. D. 1871:
file No. 98.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 15 690
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 15 696

254. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 182 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of a franchise fee by corporations," approved July 2, 1891:
file No. 333.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations May 11 1216
reported; rules suspended; pending third reading; general order May 13 1239
committee of whole; third reading May 13 1240
passed; immediate effect; returned May 13 1242

255. A bill to provide for the appointment of a dairy and food commissioner, and to define his powers and duties and fix his compensation:
file No. 185.
received; referred to committee on agricultural interests May 17 1301
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 19 1370
reported; general order May 25 1527
committee of whole; third reading May 26 1551
passed; returned May 26 1572

256. Not received.

257. A bill to prohibit the opening of barber shops on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, for the purpose of carrying on or engaging in the art or calling of hair cutting, shaving, hair dressing and shampooing, or in any work pertaining to the trade or business of a barber, on the said first day of the week, commonly called Sunday:
file No. 172.
received; referred to committee on labor interests April 28 1083
reported; general order Mary 12 1227
committee of whole discharged; referred to committee on judiciary May 18 1322
motion to discharge committee lost May 19 1345
committee instructed to report bill to Senate May 24, at 10 o'clock a. m. May 23 1430
reported as instructed; made special order for May 24 at 8 o'clock p. m. May 24 1459
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1501

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passed; returned May 25 1532
258. Not received.
259. Not received.
260. A bill for the incorporation of the ladies' aid society, auxiliary to the sons of veterans of the United States of America, division of Michigan, and of subordinate societies thereof:
file No. 294.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations May 9 1142
reported; general order May 13 1245
committee of whole; third reading May 20 1387
passed; returned May 22 1411
261. A bill for the incorporation of the sons of veterans of the United States of America, division of Michigan, and of subordinate camps thereof:
file No. 295.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations May 11 1217
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; returned May 18 1330
262. Not received.
263. Not received.
264. Not received.
265. Not received.
266. A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of Gladstone, being act No. 298 of the session laws of 1889, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Gladstone, in the county of Delta, in the State of Michigan:"
file No. 81.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 2 580
reported; amended; rules suspended; pending third reading; tabled March 22 759
taken up; passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned March 22 768
267. Not received.
268. A bill to revise and amend act No. 347 of the session laws of 1881, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Eaton Rapids, and to repeal an act incorporating the village of Eaton Rapids," approved April 15, 1871, and approved April 1, 1881, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith:
file No. 80.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 5 605
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 7 .. 612
269. A bill to repeal act No. 35 of the laws of 1869, entitled "An act to create a soldier's aid fund for disabled Michigan soldiers, sailors and marines, and Michigan men who have served in the late war in other State organizations or in the forces of the United States," and to repeal act No. 31, session laws of 1863, entitled "An act for the relief of sick, disabled and needy soldiers," approved February 18, 1863; also act No. 36, session laws of 1867, being "An act to provide a temporary home for disabled Michigan soldiers, approved March 8, 1867; also act No. 114 of session laws of 1867, entitled 'An act to provide a soldier's permanent home commission, and to define its duties,' approved March 26, 1867; also act No. 228 of session laws of 1865, being 'An act making an appropriation for the soldier's relief fund,'" approved March 16, 1869; and to provide for the disposition of all money heretofore appropriated under the provisions of said act not yet expended:
file No. 109.
received; referred to committee on military affairs March 22 766
reported; rules suspended; passed; ordered to take effect March 31, 1893; returned March 30 864
270. Not received.
271. Not received.
272. A bill to reincorporate the village of Homer, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act:
file No. 96.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 16 715
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 23 776
273. A bill to authorize the city of Detroit to acquire land outside of the limits of said city for use as public parks, public grounds and boulevards, and to regulate and improve the same:

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file No. 95.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 10 1165
reported; general order May 17 1279
committee of whole; third reading May 20 1379
passed; immediate effect; returned May 23 1417

274. A bill to provide a general law under which corporations may be formed to carry on institutions for the treatment of disease, and for instruction therein and in hygiene:
file No. 291.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations May 9 1141
reported; general order May 11 1207
committee of whole; third reading May 16 1259
passed; immediate effect; returned May 16 1273

275. Not received.
276. Not received.
277. Not received.

278. A bill to provide for the extension of the term of existence of corporations or associations organized under act No. 87 of acts of the legislature of the State of Michigan of 1855, approved February 12, 1855, entitled "An act relating to burying grounds," and amendments thereto, the corporate term of existence of which has heretofore expired, or may hereafter expire by limitation, and to fix the duties and liabilities of such renewed corporations or associations:
file No. 78.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 16 1262
reported; amended; general order May 17 1280
committee of whole; third reading May 20 1388
passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned May 22 1413

279. Not received.

280. A bill to reincorporate the village of Algonac, in the county of St. Clair, to add certain territory thereto, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions thereof:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 16 345
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 3 .. 586

281. Not received.
282. Not received.
283. Not received.
284. Not received.

285. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 176 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act for the organization of township school districts in the upper peninsula," approved June 30, 1891:
file No. 297.
received; referred to committee on counties and townships May 10 1162
reported; general order May 11 1207
committee of whole; third reading May 20 1387
passed; immediate effect; returned May 22 1411

286. Not received.
287. Not received.

288. A bill to incorporate the village of Standish, in the county of Arenac:
file No. 93.
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 3 .. 592

289. A bill to authorize the township of Lincoln in the county of Arenac, Michigan, to borrow money upon its bonds to pay township indebtedness:
file No. 121.
received; referred to committee on counties and townships March 6 606
reported; general order March 8 627
committee of whole; third reading March 8 645
passed; immediate effect; returned March 8 651

290. Not received.

291. A bill to incorporate the village of Luther in the county of Lake:
file No. 111.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 8 631
reported; general order March 8 644
committee of whole; third reading March 8 645
passed; immediate effect; returned March 9 655

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292. A bill to authorize the electors of the city of Bay City to vote upon a proposition to bond the city for the purpose of raising money to complete the city hall in said city:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 16 346
reported; substituted; title of substitute as follows: A bill to authorize the common council of Bay City to borrow money for the completion of the city hall now being constructed; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 2 566
293. A bill to amend sections 2 and 63 of an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Galesburg," approved April 5, 1869:
file No. 106.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 8 632
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 14 674
requested from House March 21 755
received; reconsidered; amended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 23 798
294. Not received.
295. Not received.
296. Not received.
297. A bill granting to the city of Benton Harbor, in the county of Berrien, the right to lay, maintain and keep in repair a sewer in that part of a certain territorial and State road which lies between said city and the St. Joseph river:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 2 577
reported; general order March 21 751
committee of whole; third reading March 22 771
passed; immediate effect; returned March 22 772
298. A bill to detach certain land from the city of Marquette, in the county of Marquette, and attach the same to the township of Marquette in the said county of Marquette:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 20 1383
299. A bill to detach certain territory from the city of St. Joseph, county of Berrien, and attach the said territory to the city of Benton Harbor in said county; and to enable the said city of Benton Harbor to issue its bonds in the sum of five thousand dollars for payment to said city of St. Joseph:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 25 1037
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 26 1042
300. A bill to authorize the board of trustees or common council of the village of Houghton in this State, to assess, levy and collect on the taxable property of such village in addition to the other taxes now authorized by law, a tax for a contingent fund for said village:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 3 594
301. Not received.
302. A bill to confer power and authority upon the common council of the village of Hancock to purchase and acquire property and to erect all proper and necessary structures in connection therewith, without as well as within the corporate limits of said village and to hold and maintain the same for the sole purpose of supplying said village and the inhabitants thereof with water:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 19 977
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 21 1017
303. A bill prohibiting the transportation of fish outside of the State which are caught in any of the waters of the counties of Branch or St. Joseph:
file No. 133.
received; referred to committee on fisheries March 24 810
reported; referred to committee on judiciary April 7 894
reported; general order April 20 992
committee of whole; third reading May 16 1259
passed; returned May 16 1272
304. A bill to incorporate the village of Gobleville:
file No. 99.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 3 592
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 22 758
305. Not received.

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306. Not received.
307. Not received.
308. Not received.
309. A bill to legalize the incorporation of the village of Wakefield, in the county of Gogebic, in the year 1887, by the board of supervisors of said county:
file No. 112.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 23 796
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 24 .. 802
310. A bill to promote and encourage the agricultural development of lands in the upper peninsula, to authorize the formation of corporations for acquiring, holding, leasing and selling real estate and for the erection of buildings, and for the borrowing and loaning of money for all purposes with the development of said lands:
file No. 188.
received; referred to committee on agricultural interests May 17 1209
reported; general order May 19 1339
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 22 1398
311. Not received.
312 Not received.
313. A bill for the incorporation of associations known as young women's christian associations:
file No. 323.
received; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies May 17 1284
reported; general order May 18 1329
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1507
314. Not received.
315. A bill to amend section 7510 of the compiled laws of 1871, the same being section 9075 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan in relation to the crime of murder in the first degree and the punishment thereof:
file No. 315.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 19 1358
316. Not received.
317. A bill detaching certain lands in the township of Minden and county of Sanilac now embraced in fractional school district No. 5 of Paris and Bingham townships Huron county from said school district in Huron county for the purpose of allowing the formation of a new school district or districts embracing the said territory in said township of Minden:
received; referred to committee on education and public schools February 28 477
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 6 .. 603
318. Not received.
319. A bill to revise and amend act No. 134 of the session laws of 1859, entitled "An act to incorporated the city of Niles," approved February 12, 1859, as revised and amended by the several acts revisionary and amendatory thereof, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith:
file No. 225.
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 1539
320. Not received.
321. Not received.
322. Not received.
323. Not received.
324. A bill supplemental to the charter of the city of Detroit, and to provide for a law department in said city:
file No. 84.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 26 1053
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 24 1470
325. Not received.
326. A bill to amend act No. 47 of local acts of 1882, for the relief of the Washtenaw county agricultural and horticultural society, and to repeal act No. 297 of local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act for the relief of the Washtenaw county agricultural and horticultural society:"

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received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 15 ... 321

327. A bill to authorize the trustees of certain colleges within the State of Michigan to give teachers' certificates:
file No. 128.
received; referred to committee on education and public schools March 24 ... 810
reported with substitute; substitute agreed to; general order May 11 ... 1203
ordered printed in Journal May 20 ... 1388
committee of whole; third reading May 22 ... 1397
not passed; reconsidered; tabled May 22 ... 1415
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned May 23 ... 1419

328. Not received.

329. Not received.

330. A bill to amend act No. 249 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Cass City in Tuscola county," by adding thereto twelve new sections to stand as sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 2 ... 579
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 3 ... 588

331. Not received.

332. Not received.

333. Not received.

334. Not received.

335. Not received.

336. A bill to amend act No. 101 of the public acts of 1885, being section 7621b of 3d Howell's annotated statutes relative to assigning errors on the charge of any circuit court to the jury in civil or criminal proceedings:
file No. 218.
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 5 ... 878

337. Not received.

338. Not received.

339. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of seats in theater, concert or lecture halls, and other places of entertainment," approved February 14, 1887:
file No. 344.
received; referred to committee on horticulture May 22 ... 1402
reported; general order May 26 ... 1550
committee of whole; third reading May 26 ... 1551

340. Not received.

341. A bill to amend chapter 67 of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act No. 35 of the public acts of 1881, and act No. 169 of the public acts of 1883, and also by act No. 168 of the public acts of 1889, being section 5772a, of 3d Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, relative to the title of real property by descent:
file No. 302.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 10 ... 1179
reported; amended; general order May 19 ... 1367
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1507
passed; returned May 26 ... 1590

342. Not received.

343. Not received.

344. Not received.

345. Not received.

346. A bill to incorporate the village of Grant, in Newaygo county:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 28 ... 483
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 1 ... 528

347. Not received.

348. Not received.

349. Not received.

350. Not received.

351. A bill to provide for the incorporation of supreme and subordinate senate of the Knights of the Ancient Essenic Order:
file No. 240.

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received; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies March 28 ... 834
reported; general order April 7 ... 896
committee of whole; third reading April 11 ... 918
tabled April 13 ... 935
taken up; amended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 13 ... 943

352. A bill to amend section 3 of title 6 of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids," being amendatory to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids," approved April 2, 1850 as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 20 ... 371

353. Not received.

354. A bill to provide for an approval fee for approving articles of incorporation, renewal or amendment to the charters of mutual insurance companies:
file No. 199.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations May 11 ... 1200
reported; general order May 13 ... 1244
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 22 ... 1398
passed; returned May 25 ... 1513

355. Not received.

356. Not received.

357. Not received.

358. A bill to prohibit the hunting, capturing, worrying, wounding and killing of deer in the counties of Lapeer, Huron, Sanilac, Tuscola and St. Clair for the period of 10 years and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof:
received; referred to committee on State affairs March 22 ... 764
reported; general order May 10 ... 1159
committee of whole discharged; rules suspended; passed; title amended; immediate effect; returned May 19 ... 1345

359. Not received.

360. A bill to prevent the killing, hunting, or molesting in any way of Mongolian or English pheasants for a period of five years, and to regulate the time for hunting and for selling or offering for sale the same after that period:
received; referred to committee on State affairs March 8 ... 629
reported; general order March 15 ... 681
committee of whole; amended; third reading March 15 ... 694
passed; immediate effect March 16 ... 717
reconsidered; re-referred to committee on State affairs March 17 ... 730
reported with substitute; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 24 ... 807

361. Not received.

362. A bill to amend section 3 of article 3 of act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to amend sections 7, 30, 36 and 41 of article 2, and sections 3 and 5 of article 3, and section 14 of article 4, and to add two new sections to article 2 to stand as sections 45 and 46, and a new section to article 5 to stand as section 22 of an act entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies, and to regulate the running and management, and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroads and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,'" approved May 1, 1873, being act No. 198, session laws 1873, as amended by act number 174 of the public acts of 1891:
file No. 366.
received; referred to committee on railroads May 22 ... 1405
reported; general order May 24 ... 1475
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1504
passed; returned May 25 ... 1511

363. Not received.

364. Not received.

365. A bill to amend section No. 44 of act No. 175 of the session laws of 1851, entitled "An act to provide for holding general and special elections," approved June 27, 1851, as amended by act No. 220 of the public acts of 1885, being section 180 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan:
file No. 306.
received; referred to committee on elections May 11 ... 1216

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366. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Germfask and attach the same to the township of Doyle in Schoolcraft county:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships February 25. 459
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 15 682
367. A bill to provide for the incorporation of the grand, district and subordinate lodges of the loyal orange institution of the State of Michigan:
file No. 151.
received; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies March 24 810
reported; general order April 11 911
committee of whole; third reading April 13 945
not passed; reconsidered; tabled April 14 949
taken up; amended; passed; held pending motion to reconsider April 27 1064
motion to reconsider lost; returned April 28 1084
received from House non-concurred in; Senate insists and asks for committee of conference May 2 1091
motion that Senate recede lost May 26 1588
368. A bill to protect the fish in Saginaw river and its tributaries:
file No. 256.
received; referred to committee on fisheries March 23 795
reported; general order March 28 825
committee of whole; ordered reprinted for March 28 832
committee of whole; third reading April 11 918
passed; returned April 13 934
369. Not received.
370. A bill to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the cities and villages of this State to provide for the lighting of their streets and other public places therein, by means of electric or other lights," being act No. 166 of the public acts of 1891:
file No. 102.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 28 1081
371. Not received.
372. A bill to incorporate the public schools of Iron River, in Iron county:
received; referred to committee on education and public schools March 16 716
reported; general order April 11 911
committee of whole; third reading April 13 945
passed; tabled April 14 951
taken up; immediate effect; returned April 14 956
373. A bill to encourage the propagation and culture of white fish and the protection of white fish fry in South Manistique lake in the county of Mackinac, in this State, by granting certain privileges to owners and lessees of all the lands bordering upon such lake, and shall annually for a specified time deposit in such lake certain quantities of white fish fry, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this act:
file No. 266.
received; referred to committee on fisheries May 10 1165
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 16 1264
374. Not received.
375. Not received.
376. Not received.
377. Not received.
378. A bill to amend sections 2 and 35 of act No. 244 of the session laws of 1889, entitled "An act to amend sections 2 and 35 of act 264 of the session laws of 1861, entitled 'An act to authorize proceedings by garnishment in the circuit courts and the district courts of the upper peninsula,'" as amended by acts No. 231 of the session laws of 1863 and No. 256 of the public acts of 1879, being sections 8059 and 8091 of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 313.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 16 1262
379. A bill to amend section 6 of act No. 39 of act of the Legislature of the State of Michigan of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of institutions of learning," approved February 9, 1855, as amended by act No.

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99 of public acts of 1885, the same being section No. 4378 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to visiting institutions of learning:
file No. 289.
received; referred to committee on education and public schools May 4.. 1119
reported; general order May 16 1264
committee of whole; third reading May 22 1397
passed; returned May 23 1420
380. Not received.
381. A bill to provide a penalty for malicious injury to or use of telegraph or telephone instruments and the unauthorized reading or copying of messages therefrom:
file No. 303.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations May 10 1179
reported; general order May 13 1244
committee of whole; third reading May 20 1387
passed; returned May 22 1410
382. A bill to amend section 7 of chapter 154 of the revised statutes of 1846, relative to offenses against property, being section 9129 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
file No. 278.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 3 1109
reported; general order May 5 1132
committee of whole; third reading May 9 1156
passed; returned May 10 1177
383. Not received.
384. Not received.
385. Not received.
386. A bill to legalize certain bonds issued by the city of St. Joseph:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 12. 927
387. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of St. Joseph in the county of Berrien and attach the said territory to the township of Benton in said county:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships February 28. 481
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 3. 596
388. A bill to repeal all of act No. 2 of the public acts of 1891, being an act to amend section 1 of act No. 450 of the laws of Michigan of the year 1871:
file No. 129.
received; referred to committee on State affairs March 6 608
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 28 826
requested from House March 30 859
received; title amended to read: A bill to repeal act No. 10 of the public acts of Michigan, approved January 20, 1891, entitled "An act to amend section 1 of act No. 450 of the laws of Michigan of the year 1871, entitled 'An act to provide for the protection and preservation of fish in certain lakes of Cass and Berrien counties, approved April 15, 1871;'" returned April 5 877
389. A bill to detach certain territory from the townships of Lincoln and Royalton, in the county of Berrien, and to attach the said territory to the township of St. Joseph in said county:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships February 28 . 480
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 3 597
requested from House March 6 608
received; rules suspended; reconsidered; referred to committee on counties and townships March 8 630
reported; amended; passed; held pending motion to reconsider March 17 721
motion to reconsider lost March 20 748
immediate effect; returned March 21 755
390. A bill to authorize the village of Chesaning, in Saginaw county, to borrow money for the purpose of making public improvements and to issue bonds therefor:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 17 737
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 23 776
391. Not received.
392. Not received.

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393. Not received.
394. Not received.
395. Not received.
396. A bill to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Baptist convention of the State of Michigan," of the session laws of 1842, approved February 16, 1842:
file No. 165.
received; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies May 3 ... 1109
reported; general order May 4 ... 1126
committee of whole; third reading May 9 ... 1156
passed; returned May 10 ... 1176
397. A bill to amend section 7 of act No. 225 of the public acts of 1879, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of Baptist churches," being section 4702 of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 152.
received; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies May 3 ... 1108
reported; general order May 4 ... 1126
committee of whole; third reading May 9 ... 1156
passed; returned May 10 ... 1176
398. Not received.
399. Not received.
400. Not received.
401. A bill to amend chapter 1, section 4 of chapter 3, section 2 of chapter 6 and section 5 of chapter 11, of act No. 251 of the session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Ishpeming, approved March 27, 1891:"
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 17 ... 737
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 24 ... 803
402. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Ann Arbor revise the charter of said city, and repeal all conflicting acts relating thereto," being act No. 331 of the session laws of 1889, approved March 15, 1889, and adding thereto seven new sections as amended by act No. 262 of the local acts of 1891, approved March 28, 1891, by amending sections 1, 69, 181 and 184 of said charter:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 19 ... 979
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 26 ... 1043
403. Not received.
404. Not received.
405. Not received.
406. Not received.
407. Not received.
408. Not received.
409. Not received.
410. A bill to authorize the village of Vernon to borrow money for the purpose of making public improvements in said village, and to issue bonds for the payment of the same:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 20 ... 748
reported; amended; general order March 21 ... 752
committee of whole; third reading March 24 ... 812
amended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 24 ... 815
411. Not received.
412. Not received.
413. A bill to amend section 3 of act No. 225 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment, fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the stenographer for the circuit courts for the counties of Calhoun, Barry and Eaton, now comprising the fifth judicial circuit," the same being section 6522d1 of the third volume of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan:
file No. 274.
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 19 ... 978
reported; general order May 11 ... 1203

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committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1507
not passed; reconsidered; tabled May 25 1546
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned May 26 1569
414. A bill to prohibit the taking, catching or destruction of fish in Pigeon river or lake in the township of Olive, Ottawa county:
file No. 135.
received; referred to committee on fisheries March 13 664
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 15 683
415. Not received.
416. Not received.
417. Not received.
418. Not received.
419. Not received.
420. A bill to amend section No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and deceptions at elections in this State," by adding two sections thereto, to be known as sections 47 and 48:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; March 9 660
reconsidered; ordered printed and made special order March 13 667
committee of whole on special order; amended; rules suspended; third reading; amended; passed; title amended to read as follows: A bill to amend act No. 190 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to prescribe the manner of conducting and to prevent fraud and deceptions at elections in this State," by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section 47; immediate effect; returned March 14 673
421. A bill to authorize the opening and entension of a public street across the lands of Woodmere cemetery in the township of Springwells, Wayne county, Michigan, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts conflicting herewith so far as applicable to the subject matter hereof:
file No. 292.
receivd; referred to committee on cities and villages May 9 1153
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 10 ... 1160
422. Not received.
423. Not received.
424. Not received.
425. Not received.
426. Not received.
427. A bill making an appropriation for the support of the State Public School for the years 1893 and 1894, for making improvements at that institution and to provide a tax for the same:
file No. 248.
received; referred to committee on State Public School April 14 954
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 18 .. 965
reported; general order May 5 1130
committee of whole; third reading May 9 1244
passed; immediate effect; returned May 9 1154
428. Not received.
429. A bill to provide for an appropriation for the preparation, publication and distribution of the proceedings of the annual meetings of the Michigan superintendents of the poor for the years 1893 and 1894:
file No. 258.
received; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 27 .. 1061
reported; general order May 18 1310
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1502
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 1531
430. Not received.
431. A bill to provide a punishment for the willful injury or killing of live stock insured by any live stock insurance company, with intent to defraud such insurance company:
file No. 262.
received; referred to committee on insurance May 9 1153
reported; rules suspended; passed; returned May 26 1579
432. Not received.
433. A bill to reincorporate the city of Lansing, in the county of Ingham, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 9 1147

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reported; rules suspended; tabled May 11 1187
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned May 11 1204
434. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 234 of the session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Gaston, in the county of Wexford," approved March 21, 1891, so as to change the name of said village of Gaston to Harriette:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 28 482
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 2 .. 565
435. A bill to extend the limits of and annex certain portions of territory to the village of Manton, Wexford county, Michigan:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 3 591
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 3 . 591
436. Not received.
437. A bill to incorporate the public schools of the village of Addison:
received; referred to committee on State affairs February 28 477
reported; rules suspended; read third time; general order March 1 532
committee of whole discharged; rules suspended; passed; tabled March 3 596
taken up; title agreed to; immediate effect; returned March 6 608
438. A bill to amend sections 4 and 8 of an act of the Legislature of 1893, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Hudson, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts relative to the incorporation of the village of Hudson and the common council of the village of Hudson," approved February 16, 1893, and to add a new section thereto to stand as section 14 of said act:
received; ordered printed and referred to committee on cities and villages March 23 789
file No. 241.
reported; general order April 18 963
committee of whole; third reading April 19 986
tabled April 20 1005
taken up; indefinitely postponed May 11 1202
439. A bill to amend act No. 483 of the local acts of 1889, being an act entitled "An act to amend section 9 of chapter 5, section 3 of chapter 17 and sections 8 and 23 of chapter 24 of act No. 405, of the local acts of 1887, entitled 'An act to amend and revise an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Marshall, being act No. 159 of the laws of 1859,'" approved February 14, 1859, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, approved March 23, 1887:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 28 1062
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 4 ... 1118
440. A bill to amend sections 1, 6 and 9 of act No. 179 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to establish, protect, and enforce by lien the rights of mechanics, and other persons furnishing labor or materials for building, altering, improving, repairing, erecting or ornamenting of buildings, machinery, wharves and all other structures, and to repeal all acts contravening the provisions of this act:
file No. 312.
received; referred to committee on labor interests May 11 1218
reported; amended; general order May 12 1225
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1455
passed; immediate effect; returned May 26 1565
441. A bill to amend section 4 of "An act to authorize the city of Detroit to borrow money for the purpose of erecting a central market in said city and to issue bonds for the payment of the same," approved April 22, 1875, as amended by act No. 355 of the local acts of 1881:
file No. 170.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 13 664
442. A bill to amend act No. 208 of the session laws of 1883, entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Decatur in the county of Van Buren and to repeal act No. 244 of the session laws of 1861 entitled 'An act to incorporate the village of Decatur,' approved March 16, 1861, as revised by act No. 266 of the session laws of 1875, entitled 'An act to revise the charter of the village of Decatur,' approved April 25, 1875," and acts amendatory thereof:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 28 481
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 1 .. 527
443. Not received.

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444. Not received.
445. Not received.
446. Not received.
447. Not received.
448. A bill to amend sections 2 and 4 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of property and the levy of taxes thereon, and for the collection of taxes heretofore and hereafter levied, and to repeal act No. 195 of the session laws of 1889, except as provided in this act, and all other acts or parts of acts in anywise contravening any of the provisions of this act," approved July 7, 1891, being act 200 of the public acts of 1891:
received; referred to committee on taxation March 29 852
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 30.. 862
449. A bill to incorporate the village of Stevensville, Berrien county:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages February 28 482
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 1.. 526
450. Not received.
451. Not received.
452. Not received.
453. Not received.
454. A bill to authorize the cities and villages of this State which own and operate electric light works for the purpose of lighting their streets and other public places, to furnish and supply electric light to the inhabitants of such cities and villages:
file No. 376.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 23 1434
reported; general order May 24 1467
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1506
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 1547
455. A bill to authorize the village of Highland Park, in the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, to issue bonds for the purpose of construction of public sewers in said village:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 3 595
ordered reprinted for use of committee March 15 698
file No. 211.
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 18.. 961
456. A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Highland Park in the county of Wayne," being act No. 371 of the local acts of 1889, approved April 16, 1889:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 3 595
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 7.. 617
457. Not received.
458. Not received.
459. Not received.
460. Not received.
461. Not received.
462. Not received.
463. Not received.
464. Not received.
465. Not received.
466. Not received.
467. Not received.
468. Not received.
469. Not received.
470. Not received.
471. Not received.
472. Not received.
473. Not received.
474. A bill to provide for a county and township system of roads, and to prescribe the powers and duties of the officers having the charge thereof:
received; referred to committee on roads and bridges May 19 1356
reported; general order May 23 1428
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 23 1440
passed; returned May 24 1466
475. Not received.
476. Not received.

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477. Not received.
478. Not received.
479. Not received.
480. Not received.
481. A bill to fix the salary of the judge of probate for the county of Marquette:
file No. 132.
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 30.. 864
482. Not received.
483. Not received.
484. Not received.
485. A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 2, sections 8, 13 and 24 of chapter 7, sections 6, 9 and 14 of chapter 26, section 5 of chapter 27, and chapters 28 and 30 of act No. 281 of the session laws of 1891, entitled "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of Menominee, being act No. 228 of the session laws of 1883, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Menominee,'" approved April 9, 1891:
file No. 189.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 17 730
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 20. 742
486. A bill providing for two precincts for the township of Waucedah, in the county of Dickinson, defining the limits thereof, providing for a new registration of the voters thereof, and determining who shall be inspectors of election, and members of the board of registration therein:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships March 17.... 735
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 22. 761
487. Not received.
488. A bill making appropriation for the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia:
file No. 374.
received; referred to committee on reformatory at Ionia May 24..... 1461
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 24 .. 1475
reported; general order May 24..... 1494
committee of whole; third reading May 24..... 1502
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25..... 1510
489. Not received.
490. Not received.
491. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Manistique."
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 13..... 666
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 7..... 895
492. A bill to amend sections 3 and 4 of chapter 1, and section 1 of chapter 2 of act No. 390 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885, as amended by act No. 318 and act No. 365 of the local acts of 1891, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Fort Gratiot, in the county of St. Clair," approved March 8, 1889:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 8..... 628
reported with substitute; agreed to; general order; title of substitute: A bill to amend sections 3 and 4 of chapter 1, and section 1 of chapter 2 of act No. 390 of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Port Huron," approved June 17, 1885, as amended by act No. 318 and act No. 365 of the local acts of 1891, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Fort Gratiot, in the county of St. Clair," approved March 8, 1889, and to amend section 18 of chapter 16 of act No. 318 of the local acts of 1891; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 17..... 723
493. Not received.
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498. Not received.
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500. A bill to create a board of jury commissioners consisting of five persons for courts of record in the county of Wayne, and to repeal act No. 95 of the public acts of 1887, as amended by act No. 42 of the public acts of 1891 and all other acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 6 889
reported; rules suspended; amended; passed; title amended to read as follows: A bill to create a board of jury commissioners consisting of seven persons for courts of record in the county of Wagne, and to repeal act No. 95 of the public acts of 1887, as amended by act No. 42 of the public acts of 1891, and all other acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act; returned May 24 1473
501. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 154 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to provide for the commencement of actions of tort against non-resident individuals, joint contractors, partnerships and corporations carrying on business or owning property in this State," being sections 8025*a* and 8025*b* of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, so as to provide for the commencement of such actions against non-residents, including foreign corporations carrying on business or owning property in this State or whose property shall be found in this State:
file No. 296.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 9 1142
reported; general order May 10 1159
committee of whole; third reading May 16 1269
passed; returned May 17 1287
502. Not received.
503. A bill establishing a home for the soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the late civil war, their wives and mothers, and making an appropriation for the erection and maintenance thereof:
file No. 369.
received; referred to committee on military affairs May 24 1479
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 24 1495
committee discharged May 26 1577
reported; general order May 26 1588
committee of whole; third reading May 26 1588
passed; immediate effect; returned May 26 1589
504. Not received.
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514. Not received.
515. A bill to repeal act No. 356 of the local acts of 1877, entitled "An act to incorporate the public schools of the township of Wilson," approved May 22, 1877, and to provide for the disposition of the property, and the payment of the indebtedness of the corporation hereby dissolved:
received; referred to committee on education and public schools March 23 789
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 23 793
516. Not received.
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527. Not received.
528. Not received.
529. A bill to provide for the appointment of a commission to prepare and report a general municipal corporation bill, under which all municipalties may become incorporated, and to prescribe their duties and provide for their compensation:
file No. 332.
received; referred to special committee on municipal corporations May 22 ... 1396
reported; general order May 23 ... 1427
committee of whole; third reading May 23 ... 1442
passed; immediate effect; returned May 26 ... 1560
530. Not received.
531. Not received.
532. A bill to amend section 46 of act No. 150 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to amend section 46 of act No. 198 of the session laws of 1873, entitled 'An act to revise the laws providing for the incorporation of railroad companies and to regulate the running and management and to fix the duties and liabilities of all railroad and other corporations owning or operating any railroad in this State,' approved May 1, 1873, as amended by act No. 174 of the public acts of 1883, approved June 7, 1883, and to add two new sections to said act to stand as sections 47 and 48," the same being section 46 of paragraph 3357*b* of the third volume Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 220.
received; referred to committee on railroads April 12 ... 925
reported; amended; general order May 19 ... 1340
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1507
533. A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of Ludington, Mason county, Michigan:
file No. 120.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 15 ... 686
reported; amended; tabled March 15 ... 692
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned March 16 ... 717
534. A bill to divide the township of Forsyth, in the county of Marquette, into two voting precincts:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 2 ... 576
535. Not received.
536. A bill to provide for the placing of juries, while engaged in the trial of cases of murder, under the charge of a competent officer duly sworn as prescribed in this act, and to define the duties of certain officers in relation thereto, and to provide a penalty for any wilful violation thereof:
file No. 288.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 11 ... 1217
reported; general order May 17 ... 1280
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1507
passed; returned May 26 ... 1591
537. Not received.
538. Not received.
539. Not received.
540. Not received.
541. A bill to reincorporate the village of Wakefield in the county of Gogebic:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 23 ... 796
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 24 ... 802
542. Not received.
543. Not received.
544. Not received.
545. Not received.
546. A bill to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes or ladders, for the passage of fish through dams across the Muskegon river and its tributaries, and to provide a penalty for the provisions of this act:
file No. 239.
received; referred to committee on fisheries April 5 ... 879
reported; amended; general order April 7 ... 898
committee of whole; tabled May 22 ... 1398
taken up; general order May 23 ... 1439

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committee of whole; amended; third reading May 24 ... 1456
passed; title amended to read as follows: A bill to provide for the erection and maintenance of shutes or ladders for the passage of fish through dams across the Muskegon river and its tributaries, Clinton river and its tributaries in Macomb county, and the Black river in Sanilac and Huron counties, and to provide a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act; returned May 24 ... 1500

547. A bill appropriating a sum of money to the State Board of Health for the purpose of cleaning out and deepening Black river in Sanilac county for sanitary purposes and providing for and prescribing the manner of its expenditure under the supervision of the State Board of Health:
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 14 ... 947
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 20 ... 992
committee discharged; re-referred to committee on judiciary April 20 ... 993
requested by House May 10 ... 1178
reported pursuant to request; tabled May 10 ... 1182
taken up; returned to House May 10 ... 1183
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 12 ... 1231
reported without recommendation; tabled May 22 ... 1414
taken up; re-referred to committee on finance and appropriations, May 23 1432
reported; general order May 24 ... 1438
committee of whole; third reading May 24 ... 1502
not passed; tabled May 26 ... 1559

548. A bill making an appropriation for the Michigan School for the Blind for the years 1893 and 1894:
file No. 249.
received; referred to committee on School for the Blind April 14 ... 953
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 18 ... 965
reported; general order May 16 ... 1267
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 16 ... 1269
passed; immediate effect; returned May 16 ... 1272

549. Not received.

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551. Not received.

552. A bill to amend sections 2, 5 and 7 of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the village of Saugatuck," approved March 12, 1869:
file No. 182.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 23 ... 796
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 24 803

553. A bill to provide for ascertaining, adjudicating and determining the termination of life estates in real and personal property:
file No. 252.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 3 ... 1107
reported; amended; general order May 19 ... 1368
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1507

554. A bill to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to exempt sewing machines from levy and sale on executions," approved March 13, 1861, being section 7717 of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 141.
received; referred to committee on judiciary March 27 ... 820
reported; general order April 12 ... 920
committee of whole; amended; third reading April 14 ... 952
amended; passed; title amended to read as follows: A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 143 of the session laws of 1861, entited "An act to exempt sewing machines from levy and sale on execution," approved March 13, 1861, being section 7717 of Howell's annotated statutes; returned April 19 ... 980

555. A bill to regulate the construction of the tracks of railroads and street railroads across each other, and the stringing of wires, electric or other, over railroad tracks, and relative to the maintenance of such tracks heretofore so constructed and wires heretofore so strung:
file No. 162.
received; referred to committee on railroads May 22 ... 1405
reported; general order May 24 ... 1476

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committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1507
passed; returned May 26 1589
556. A bill to amend chapter 150 of the revised statutes of 1846, as amended by act No. 187 of the session laws of 1859; act No. 187 of the session laws of 1861; act No. 138 of the session laws of 1871; act No. 197 of the session laws of 1873, and act No. 277 of the public acts of 1881, relative to the salaries of judges of probate, the same being as so amended, sections 9012 and 9013 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan:
file No. 317.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 19 1343
reported; general order May 20 1378
committee of whole; third reading May 22 1397
passed; immediate effect; returned May 23 1420
557. A bill to amend section 3 of act 344 of local acts of 1875, entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Newaygo:"
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 1 539
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 2 ... 567
558. Not received.
559. Not received.
560. Not received.
561. Not received.
562. A bill to amend sections 36, 37, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45 and 46 of act No. 215 of the session laws of 1871, being an act, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Greenville," approved March 10, 1871:
file No. 213.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 5 879
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 6 880
563. A bill to vacate the township of Long Lake in Oscoda county and incorporate its territory within the adjoining township of Mentor in Oscoda county:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships March 23 697
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 29 . 841
564. Not received.
565. A bill to amend sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 9 of act No. 249 of the local acts of 1871, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Alpena," approved March 29, 1871, as amended and to add a new section to stand as section No. 95:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 23 1434
reported; rules suspended; passed; returned May 24 1471
566. A bill to amend chapter 131 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan, being an act entitled "An act in relation to life insurance companies transacting business within this State," as heretofore amended, by adding thereto one new section to be known as section 32, and intended to prevent distinction or discrimination between white persons and colored persons, wholly or partially of African descent, in insuring lives:
file No. 123.
received; referred to committee on insurance April 17 959
reported; general order April 28 1078
committee of whole; third reading May 2 1093
passed; immediate effect; returned May 2 1095
567. Not received.
568. Not received.
569. Not received.
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571. Not received.
572. Not received.
573. Not received.
574. A bill to authorize the village of Crystal Falls in the county of Iron to lease, purchase, construct and maintain water power with which to run the water and electric light plants of said village and to issue bonds therefor:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 4 1122
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 12 . 1228
575. A bill to amend section 6 of chapter 11 of act No. 164 of public acts of 1881, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to public instruction and primary schools, and to repeal all statutes and acts contravening the provisions of this act," the same being section 5141 of Howell's annotated statutes relative to libraries in school districts:

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file No. 214.
received; referred to committee on education and public schools April 19 975
reported; general order May 13 1245
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1455
passed; returned May 26 1569
576. Not received.
577. Not received.
578. Not received.
579. A bill to amend sections 6, 8, 10 and 11 of chapter 2, section 31 of chapter 6, section 40 of chapter 7, sections 58, 60 and 61 of chapter 9, sections 93, 95 and 106 of chapter 13 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 873, 875, 877, 878, 898, 907, 925, 927, 928, 960, 962 and 973 of Howell's annotated statutes, and to repeal sections 12, 13, 14 and 15 of chapter 2 of an act entitled "An act for the reorganization of the military forces of the State of Michigan," being sections 879, 880, 881 and 882 of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 307.
received; referred to committee on military affairs May 19 1342
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 22 1391
reported; general order May 24 1494
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1502
passed; returned May 25 1532
580. Not received.
581. Not received.
582. A bill to amend "An act relative to free schools in the city of Grand Rapids," approved March 15, 1871, and acts amendatory thereto:
received; referred to committee on education and public schools March 16 715
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 28 829
583. A bill to authorize the formation of corporations for the prevention of cruelty to children:
file No. 346.
received; referred to committee on State affairs May 20 1386
reported; general order May 23 1427
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1455
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 1508
584. A bill to provide a penalty for cruelty to children:
file No. 358.
received; referred to committee on State affairs May 20 1386
reported; general order May 23 1427
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1455
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 1509
585. Not received.
586. Not received.
587. A bill to amend section 45 of act No. 137 of the session laws of 1887, said act being "An act to amend sections 9 and 10 of chapter 170 of the compiled laws of Michigan of 1871, being compiler's sections 6231 and 6232 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to divorce, and to add three new sections to said chapter, to stand as sections 44, 45 and 46," the same being section 6263b of 3d annotated statutes:
file No. 326.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 22 1406
reported; general order May 23 1425
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1507
588. Not received.
589. Not received.
590. Not received.
591. A bill to vacate the township of Nester in the county of Roscommon and to attach the territory thereof to the township of Roscommon in Roscommon county:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships March 17 734
592. Not received.
593. Not received.
594. Not received.

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596. Not received.
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598. Not received.
599. Not received.
600. A bill to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act to establish an insurance bureau," approved April 13, 1871, being compiler's section 4213, Howell's statutes:
file No. 193.
received; referred to committee on insurance April 14 ... 955
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 26 ... 1580
601. Not received.
602. Not received.
603. A bill to provide for selecting seats for members in the hall of the House of Representatives:
file No. 255.
received; rules suspended; passed; returned May 3 ... 1107
604. Not received.
605. Not received.
606. Not received.
607. Not received.
608. Not received.
609. Not received.
610. Not received.
611. A bill to authorize the township of Frankenmuth to borrow money to be used in cleaning and straightening and deepening a portion of Cheboyganing creek, in Saginaw county, and to issue bonds therefor:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 25 ... 460
612. A bill to authorize the township of Buena Vista to borrow money to be used in cleaning and straightening and deepening a portion of the Cheboyganing creek, in Saginaw county, and to issue bonds therefor:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 25 ... 460
613. A bill to authorize the township of Blumfield to borrow money to be used in cleaning and straightening and deepening a portion of Cheboyganing creek, in Saginaw county, and to issue bonds therefor:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 25 ... 460
614. Not received.
615. Not received.
616. Not received.
617. Not received.
618. Not received.
619. Not received.
620. A bill to amend sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of act 174 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for beginning suits against coöperative and mutual benefit insurance societies and associations organized under the laws of other states or territories and doing business in this State:"
file No. 190.
received; referred to committee on insurance May 11 ... 1217
reported; general order May 15 ... 1265
committee of whole; third reading May 23 ... 1441
passed; returned May 25 ... 1544
621. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to designate the holidays to be observed in the acceptance and payment of bills of exchange and promissory notes, in the holding of courts and relative to the continuance of suits," approved March 8, 1865, being compiler's section 1559 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 163 of the session laws of 1875, approved April 29, 1875, and as amended by act No. 208 of the public acts of 1891, approved June 2, 1891, the same being section 1591 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan:
file No. 290.
received; referred to committee on labor interests May 4 ... 1119
reported; general order May 5 ... 1131

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committee of whole; third reading May 9 1156
passed; returned May 10 1177
622. Not received.
623. Not received.
624. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 44 of the public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to define the qualifications of deputy sheriffs and under sheriffs to be hereafter appointed in this State," approved March 24, 1887, being section 596a of 3d volume of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 233.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 3 1109
reported; general order May 4 1126
committee of whole; third reading May 9 1155
passed; returned May 10 1175
625. Not received.
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634. Not received.
635. Not received.
636. A bill to amend sections 1 and 10 of chapter 298 of Howell's annotated statutes entitled "Information in the nature of a quo warranto and in certain other cases:"
received; referred to committee on judiciary March 8 643
reported; amended; general order March 15 680
committee of whole; third reading March 15 694
recommitted March 16 716
637. A bill appropriating money for building, repairs and other necessary improvements of the State Prison at Jackson:
file No. 367.
received; referred to committee on State Prison May 22 1400
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 24 1456
reported; general order May 24 1493
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1502
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 1510
638. Not received.
639. Not received.
640. Not received.
641. A bill to establish a public hospital in the city of Detroit:
file No. 272.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 27 1062
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 4 1117
requested from House May 16 1255
received; reconsidered; recommitted May 17 1295
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to establish a contagious disease hospital in the city of Detroit; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 24 1468
returned; non-concurred in May 29 1611
642. Not received.
643. A bill to amend sections 1, 5, 9 and 10 of act No. 140 of the session laws of 1863, entitled "An act to provide for the selection, care and disposition of the lands donated to the State of Michigan by act of congress, approved July 2, 1862, for the endowment of colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts," approved March 18, 1863, being compiler's sections 5368, 5372, 5376, 5377 of Howell's annotated statutes, and section 2 of act No. 95 of the session laws of 1875, entitled "An act to provide for the examination of certain forfeited and part-paid agricultural college salt spring and other lands," approved April 22, 1875, as amended by act No. 51 of the session laws of 1879, being compiler's section 5255 of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 364.

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received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 26... 1583
644. Not received.
645. Not received.
646. A bill to amend act No. 303, public acts of 1887, entitled "An act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties and to punish offenses committed thereat" by adding two more sections thereto to stand as sections 8 and 9:
file No. 338.
received; referred to committee on elections May 24..... 1478
reported; rules suspended; passed; returned May 26..... 1586
647. Not received.
648. Not received.
649. Not received.
650. A bill making an appropriation for improvements and repairs to the State House of Correction and Branch of the State Prison at Marquette for the years 1893 and 1894:
file No. 365.
received; referred to committee on State Prison May 23..... 1435
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 24.. 1458
reported; general order May 25..... 1527
committee of whole; third reading May 25.....
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25..... 1531
651. Not received.
652. Not received.
653. Not received.
654. Not received.
655. A bill to authorize the board of supervisors of Jackson county and the Jackson county agricultural society to sell certain lands and to invest the proceeds of such sale in the purchase of other lands and in the improvements thereof:
file No. 202.
received; referred to committee on agricultural interests May 17..... 1284
reported; general order May 18..... 1329
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25..... 1508
passed; immediate effect; returned May 26..... 1560
656. Not received.
657. A bill to prohibit the employment of minors in certain occupations:
file No. 174.
received; referred to committee on labor interests May 22..... 1402
658. Not received.
659. A bill to amend section 1 of act 171 of laws of 1873, entitled "An act establishing a State agency for the care of juvenile offenders, as amended, the same being section 9894 of Howell's annotated statutes:"
file No. 309.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 11..... 1216
committee discharged May 24..... 1454
660. Not received.
661. Not received.
662. Not received.
663. A bill to detach certain territory from the townships of Albert and Briley, in the county of Montmorency, State of Michigan, and to organize the township of Vienna in said county:
received; rules suspended; pending vote on passage, tabled, April 28..... 1081
taken up; passed; returned May 26..... 1558
664. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 320 of local acts of 1891, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Atlanta, in the county of Montmorency," approved May 9, 1891:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 2..... 579
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 7.. 616
665. Not received.
666. Not received.
667. A bill to amend sections 6 and 8 of act No. 49 of the public acts of 1891, being an act entitled "An act to amend sections 6 and 8 of act No. 136 of the public acts of 1885, being an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appoint-

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ment, compensation and duties of a stenographer for the sixteenth judicial circuit:' "
file No. 372.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 22 1401
committee discharged from further consideration of bill May 25 1504
668. A bill to amend section 7 of chapter 2, section 20 of chapter 3, section 8 of chapter 6, sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 of chapter 8, section 3 of chapter 9 of act No. 227 of the public acts of 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of drains and the assessment and collection of taxes therefor," approved June 20, 1885, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof:
file No. 331.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 22 1406
669. A bill to authorize the payment of money due to estates of deceased persons to the county treasurer in certain cases:
file No. 339.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 22 1400
670. Not received.
671. A bill to amend section 124 of chapter 178 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 99 of the public acts of 1881, entitled 'An act to amend section 124 of act No. 1 of the public acts of 1874, entitled 'An act to amend section 124 of an act, entitled 'An act to amend chapter 93 of the revised statutes of 1846, entitled 'Of courts held by justices of the peace,' approved February 13, 1885, being section 4372 of the compiled laws of 1871, relative to the transfer of cases in justice's courts," being compiler's section No. 6937 of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 148.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 11 1215
reported; general order May 17 1281
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1508
tabled May 26 1591
672. Not received.
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675. Not received.
676. Not received.
677. Not received.
678. Not received.
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680. Not received.
681. A bill to provide for the appointment of two clerks by the township board of the township of Ecorse in the county of Wayne, to assist in extending the tax roll of said township:
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 17 ... 735
682. A bill authorizing the board of supervisors of Houghton county to fix the compensation of the judge of probate of that county:
file No. 130.
received; referred to committee on counties and townships March 29 ... 857
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 30 861
683. Not received.
684. Not received.
685. Not received.
686. Not received.
687. A bill to amend act No. 337 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Kalamazoo and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to reincorporate the village of Kalamazoo and to repeal all inconsistent acts and parts of acts,' approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof and to add seven new sections to said act, also to add one new chapter to be known as chapter 28:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 8 632
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 8 .. 633
requested from House March 14 672
returned; reconsidered; recommitted March 15 690
reported substitute entitled: A bill to amend act No. 337 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Kalamazoo and to

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repeal an act entitled 'An act to reincorporate the village of Kalamazoo and to repeal all inconsistent acts and parts of acts,' approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof and to add ten new sections to said act; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 26 ... 1045

688. Not received.
689. Not received.
690. Not received.
691. A bill to provide for the judicial investigation and determination of titles of land so as to confirm and establish the same, and for the registration of titles so established:
file No. 284.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 16 ... 1262
reported; general order May 18 ... 1328
committee of whole; third reading May 25 ...
pending motion to strike out enacting clause tabled May 25 ... 1513
taken up; not passed May 26 ... 1591
692. Not received.
693. Not received.
694. A bill to detach certain territory from the city of Benton Harbor in Berrien county and attach the same to the city of St. Joseph in Berrien county:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 25 ... 1037
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 26. 1043
695. A bill to revise and amend the charter of the city of St. Clair:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 12 ... 1231
reported; rules suspended; tabled May 13 ... 1238
taken up; made special order for May 15, at 9:15 p. m., May 13 ... 1247
passed; immediate effect; returned May 15 ... 1250
696. Not received.
697. A bill to attach certain territory to the township of St. Clair in the county of St. Clair, and defining a boundary line:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships March 8 ... 641
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 26.. 1045
698. Not received.
699. A bill to amend section 3 of title 1; sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2; sections 12 and 13 of title 3; title 4; section 1 of title 5; sections 8, 11, 18, 19 and 20 of title 6; title 8; sections 8, 10, 11, 12 and 16 of title 10; section 1 of title 11; section 3 of title 12; sections 2, 5 and 9 of title 13; section 18 of title 14; and title 15, of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw, and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw and Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw; to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city; to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw, and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights; to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act No. 455 of the local acts of 1889, and being in the charter of the city of Saginaw:
file No. 268.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 14 ... 948
reported; amended; general order May 12 ... 1234
committee of the whole; made special order for May 19, at 2:15 p. m., May 18 ... 1333
committee of whole; third reading May 19 ... 1352 to 1355
re-committed May 20 ... 1380
reported; amended; passed; title amended to read: A bill to amend section 3 of title 1; sections 1, 5 and 8 of title 2; sections 12 and 13 of title 3; title 4; section 1 of title 5; sections 8, 11, 18, 19 and 20 of title 6; title 8; sections 8, 10, 11, 12 and 16 of title 10; section 1 of title 11; section 3 of title 12; sections 2, 5 and 9 of title 13; section 18 of title 14; and title 15, of an act entitled "An act to annex the territory embraced within the city of East Saginaw to that of the city of Saginaw, and to consolidate the city of East Saginaw with Saginaw under the name of the city of Saginaw; to specify and fix the boundaries of the consolidated city;

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to provide for the assuming and payment of the indebtedness and liabilities of the present cities of East Saginaw and Saginaw, and for the ownerships of their corporate property and rights; to define the corporate rights, powers and privileges of said city of Saginaw as so consolidated, and to repeal all acts inconsistent herewith," being act No. 155 of the local acts of 1889, and being the charter of the city of Saginaw, and all acts and parts of acts amendatory of said sections and titles; returned May 20 1382

700. A bill to authorize the city of Saginaw to borrow money for the purpose of constructing, adding to and improving the water-works system in the western taxing district of said city, and to issue bonds therefor and charge all payments and expenses thereof to and to collect the same from said district, and to repeal act No. 230 of the local acts of the Legislature of the State of Michigan for the year 1891, approved March 21, 1891:
file No. 221.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 23 795
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 29 841

701. A bill to provide for the election of two justices of the peace, and for the appointment of a justices' clerk in and for the city of Saginaw, and to define their jurisdiction and to fix their compensation and to abolish and discontinue the five offices of justices of the peace of said city upon the expiration of the terms of the present incumbents thereof; and to provide for the filing of the files, records and dockets belonging to or appertaining to the offices abolished and discontinued; and for the issuance of executions upon judgments appearing on said dockets; and to repeal all provisions of the charter of the city of Saginaw and of all other acts or parts of acts in anywise contravening the provisions of this act:
file No. 212.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 6 891
reported; rules suspended; passed; returned May 9 1147

702. Not received.
703. Not received.
704. Not received.
705. A bill to amend section 9, of title III, of act No. 307, of the local acts of 1885, being "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of West Bay City," and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith, and to amend sections 10, 11 and 12, of title V, of act No. 271, of the local acts of 1891, being an act to amend act No. 307, of the local acts of 1885, entitled "An act to revise and amend the charter of the city of West Bay City," and to repeal all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith:
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 11 ... 1198
requested from House May 12 1231
received; reconsidered; recommitted May 13 1240

706. Not received.
707. Not received.
708. A bill to detach certain territory from the township of Ellsworth, in the county of Lake, State of Michigan, and to organize the township of Newkirk, in said county:
received; referred to committee on counties and townships May 11 1218
reported; general order May 12 1223
committee of whole discharged; rules suspended; passed; effect March 20, 1894; returned May 17 1309

709. Not received.
710. Not received.
711. A bill to authorize the township of Maple Valley, Sanilac county, to raise money or issue bonds for the improvement of Elk creek:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 22. 765

712. Not received.
713. A bill to provide for the proof of instruments purporting to be executed by any corporation, joint stock company or partnership association, limited, foreign or domestic, under its common seal:
file No. 359.
received; referred to committee on banks and corporations May 22 1404
reported; general order May 23 1430

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committee of whole; third reading May 24 1455
passed; returned May 26 1570
714. Not received.
715. Not received.
716. Not received.
717. Not received.
718. Not received.
719. Not received.
720. Not received.
721. A bill to amend section 28 of chapter 150 of the compiled laws of 1871, being compiler's section 5682 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the keeping by register of deeds of a general index to each set of books kept in his office:
file No. 242.
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 7 900
reported; rules suspended; pending third reading; general order May 5 .. 1131
committee of whole; third reading May 9 1156
passed; returned May 11 1205
722. Not received.
723. A bill to amend sections 2, 8, 13, 20 and 31 of act No. 374 of the session laws of 1869, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Portland in Ionia county," approved March 30, 1869, as amended:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned February 21 425
724. Not received.
725. Not received.
726. Not received.
727. Not received.
728. Not received.
729. Not received.
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743. Not received.
744. Not received.
745. Not received.
746. A bill to authorize the city of Alpena to raise money for the purchase of or the erection and maintenance of water-works:
file No. 322.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 9 1152
reported; general order May 10 1168
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 22 1397
passed; immediate effect; returned May 23 1422
747. Not received.
748. Not received.
749. A bill to regulate and govern the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia:
file No. 279.
received; referred to committee on reformatory at Ionia May 3 1105
750. Not received.
751. Not received.
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756. Not received.
757. Not received.
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768. Not received.
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770. Not received.
771. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 168 of the session laws of 1857, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of villages," being section 2983 of Howell's annotated statutes of the State of Michigan:
file No. 273.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 11 1199
772. Not received.
773. Not received.
774. A bill to provide for the maintenance, supervision of and government of the Michigan School for the Blind, and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith:
file No. 267.
received; referred to committee on School for the Blind April 14 947
reported; amended; general order April 28 1085
committee of whole; third reading May 3 1111
tabled May 5 1135
taken up; passed; pending agreeing to title tabled May 10 1167
taken up; immediate effect; motion to reconsider lost; returned May 18 1312
775. A bill to authorize the village of Scottville, Mason county, to borrow money to procure suitable fire protection, and to issue bonds therefor:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 9 1148
776. Not received.
777. Not received.
778. Not received.
779. A bill to make an appropriation for the support of the State Agricultural College, for the erection and repair of buildings and other improvements at said college:
received; referred to committee on Agricultural College May 25 1514
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 25 .. 1514
reported; general order May 25 1514
committee of whole; third reading May 25 1530
passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 1503
780. A bill to amend section 24 of act No. 120 of the session laws of 1855, being section 24 of chapter 247 of the general statutes of the State of Michigan, as compiled and annotated by Andrew Howell, being section 6614 of Howell's annotated statutes, relative to the general powers, duties and jurisdiction of the circuit courts in chancery:
file No. 301.
received: referred to committee on judiciary May 10 1180
781. Not received.
782. Not received.
783. A bill making an appropriation for the current and running expenses of the Michigan Mining School until the general appropriation for that purpose shall be available:
received; referred to committee on Mining School and mining interests February 21 426
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations February 21 428
reported; general order February 24 448
committee of whole; third reading February 24 456
passed; immediate effect; returned February 25 465
784. Not received.

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785. Not received.
786. Not received.
787. Not received.
788. A bill to provide for the incorporation of the uniformed division of the knights of the maccabees:
file No. 341.
received; referred to committee on religious and benevolent societies May 22 ... 1403
reported; general order May 23 ... 1416
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1508
passed; returned May 26 ... 1592
789. Not received.
790. Not received.
791. Not received.
792. A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 9 of title 2; section 9 of title 3; sections 4, 12, 25 and 32 of title 4; sections 7, 8, 10 and 11 of title 5; sections 6, 10 and 36 of title 6, of an act entitled "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids,' approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; and to add to title 3 of said act six new sections to be known and numbered as sections 19, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of said title 3 respectively; and to repeal section 23 of title 4; sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of title 6, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of title 7 of said act:
file No. 261.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 26 ... 1052
reported; general order April 27 ... 1056
committee of whole discharged; recommitted April 27 ... 1066
reported; amended; rules suspended; tabled May 18 ... 1332
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned May 18 ... 1335
requested from house May 23 ... 1439
received; reconsidered; amended; passed; title anended to read as follows:
A bill to amend sections 1, 4 and 9 of title 2; section 9 of title 3; sections 4, 25 and 32 of title 4; sections 7, 8, 10 and 11 of title 5, sections 6, 10 and 36 of title 6, of an act entitled, "An act to revise the charter of the city of Grand Rapids, being amendatory of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids,' approved April 2, 1850, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof," approved March 29, 1877, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; and to add to title 3 of said act six new sections, to be known and numbered as sections 19, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of said title 3 respectively; and to repeal section 23 of title 4; sections 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 of title 6, and sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of title 7 of said act; returned May 24 ... 1495
793. Not received.
794. Not received.
795. A bill to amend section 45 of chapter 150, being section 4247 of compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 16 of the session laws of 1877, and act No. 225 of the public acts of 1885, and also by act No. 3 of the public acts of 1887, relative to "Alienation by deed and the proof and recording of conveyances and the canceling of mortgages, being section 5705 of third volume of Howell's annotated statutes:
file No. 231.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 3 ... 1110
reported; general order May 4 ... 1127
committee of whole; third reading May 9 ... 1156
passed; title amended to read as follows: "A bill to amend section 45 of chapter 150 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended, the same being section 5705 of third Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, relative to the cancellation of real estate mortgages;" returned May 10 ... 1176
796. A bill to provide for the government of the Michigan Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane and the inmates therein, and to repeal act 190, laws of 1883, and all acts amendatory thereto, and all of that portion of act 140, laws of 1891, which conflicts with this act, being an act entitled "An act to provide for a State board of inspectors who shall perform the

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duties now performed by the advisory board in matters of pardons and who shall have the complete management and control of the State Prison at Jackson, the State House of Correction and Reformatory at Ionia, the Michigan Asylum for Insane Criminals at Ionia, the branch of the State Prison at Marquette, the Reform School for Boys at Lansing, and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, and to abolish all existing boards and to annul all existing appointments:"
file No. 157.
received; referred to committee on State affairs March 29 845
reported; general order April 19 972
committee of whole; amended; third reading April 19 986
tabled April 20 1006
taken up; passed; pending agreeing to title, tabled May 11 1201
taken up; immediate effect; motion to reconsider, lost; returned May 18. 1314

797. Not received.
798. Not received.
799. Not received.
800. Not received.
801. A bill to amend sections 1 and 3 of an act entitled "An act to authorize a board of public works in and for the city of Grand Rapids," approved March 22, 1873, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof:
file No. 227.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 12 927
802. A bill to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to provide for the management of cemeteries owned and to be owned by the city of Grand Rapids," approved May 18, 1883:
file No. 228.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 27 819
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 28. 822
803. A bill to amend sections 3, 8, 11, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to establish a board of police and fire commissioners in the city of Grand Rapids, and to prescribe their powers and duties, approved May 24, 1881, and the several acts amendatory thereof," approved May 6, 1891:
file No. 229.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 6 890
reported; rules suspended; passed; title amended to read as follows: A bill to amend sections 8, 11, 15 and 20 of an act entitled "An act to establish a board of police and fire commissioners in the city of Grand Rapids, and to prescribe their powers and duties, approved May 24, 1881, and the several acts amendatory thereof," approved May 6, 1891; returned May 24 1492
804. A bill to amend section 5 of chapter 32 of the compiled laws of 1871, being section 1348 of said compilation, as amended by various acts of the legislature, the same being section 1477 of Howell's annotated statutes of Michigan, as amended by act No. 102 of the public acts of 1891, relative to town plats:
file No. 337.
received; referred to committee on counties and townships May 22 1405
reported; general order May 23 1429
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 1508
805. Not received.
806. A bill to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Charlotte," approved March 29, 1871:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 16 714
reported; general order March 17 723
committee of whole; third reading March 17 732
passed; immediate effect; returned March 17 737
807. Not received.
808. Not received.
809. Not received.
810. Not received.
811. Not received.
812. Not received.
813. A bill to incorporate the city of Gladwin in the county of Gladwin:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 2.. 576

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814. Not received.
815. Not received.
816. Not received.
817. Not received.
818. Not received.
819. A bill making an appropriation for the purpose of marking the position of Daniel's Michigan battery and the four companies of Michigan troops in the United States sharpshooters on the "Highwater mark" monument on the battlefield of Gettysburg:
file No. 380.
received; referred to committee on military affairs May 23 ... 1435
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations May 24 ... 1494
reported; general order May 26 ... 1549
committee of whole; third reading May 26 ... 1551
passed; returned May 26 ... 1551
820. Not received.
821. Not received.
822. Not received.
823. A bill to authorize the village of St. Charles, in the county of Saginaw, to raise money to make public improvements in said village, to issue bonds therefor and to provide for the levy of taxes therein to pay the same:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 22 ... 764
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 24 ... 806
824. Not received.
825. Not received.
826. Not received.
827. A bill to authorize the township of Pinconning in Bay county to borrow money to make public improvements in said township and to issue bonds therefor:
file No. 222.
received; referred to committee on counties and townships April 20 ... 1000
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 21 ... 1019
828. A bill to amend section 2 of act No. 314 of the local acts of 1885, relating to the election of school officers at the annual meeting in the township of Bangor in Bay county:
received; referred to comittee on counties and townships May 4 ... 1123
829. Not received.
830. A bill to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a pardoning board, prescribing their powers and duties and repealing all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith:
file No. 354.
received; referred to committee on judiciary May 22 ... 1404
reported; general order May 24 ... 1474
committee of whole discharged; third reading May 25 ... 1508
passed; returned May 26 ... 1558
831. Not received.
832. A bill authorizing the city council of the city of Escanaba to make a reassessment to defray the expenses of a public improvement upon Ludington street and other streets of said city:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 19 ... 978
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 20 ... 994
833. A bill authorizing the city council of the city of Escanaba to make a reassessment to defray the expenses of the construction of a sidewalk bordering on lots 24, 25, 26 of block 6, in said city of Escanaba:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 19 ... 977
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 20 ... 994
834. Not received.
835. A bill authorizing the city council of the city of Escanaba to make a reassessment to defray the expenses of public improvements in street paving on Ludington street and other streets of said city:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 19 ... 977
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 20 ... 995
836. Not received.
837. Not received.

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838. A bill to amend section 1 of act No. 147 of the public acts of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for the election of a county commissioner of schools, for the appointment of school examiners, and to define the duties and fix the compensation for the same, and to repeal all existing acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act," approved June 14, 1891:
received; referred to committee on education and public schools April 19 976
reported; general order May 13 1245
committee of whole; third reading May 24 1455
passed; returned May 24 1491
839. Not received.
840. Not received.
841. Not received.
842. Not received.
843. Not received.
844. A bill to change the name of Jessie Woolley to Jessie Elizabeth Fisher:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 20 1000
845. Not received.
846. Not received.
847. Not received.
848. Not received.
849. Not received.
850. Not received.
851. Not received.
852. A bill to change the name of Asenath M. Ferguson to Asenath Ferguson Sturtevant:
received; referred to committee on State affairs February 28 480
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 1 532
853. Not received.
854. Not received.
855. Not received.
856. A bill to provide for and confirm the Board of Health for the city of Detroit, and prescribe its powers and duties:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 4 1119
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 19 1369
857. Not received.
858. Not received.
859. Not received.
860. Not received.
861. Not received.
862. A bill to prohibit catching or taking fish in Maple river and tributary streams in any other manner than with hook and line:
file No. 286.
received; referred to committee on fisheries May 3 1108
reported; general order May 16 1255
committee of whole; amended; third reading May 22 1397
passed; returned May 26 1570
863. Not received.
864. Not received.
865. Not received.
866. Not received.
867. Not received.
868. A bill to change the name of Myrtie M. Smith to Myrtie M. Huntley:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned April 28 1083
869. Not received.
870. A bill to amend section 18 of act No. 211 of the session laws of 1861, entitled "An act to incorporate the village of Lowell," approved March 25, 1861:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 11 1213
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 12 1222
871. Not received.
872. Not received.
873. Not received.
874. A bill to amend act No. 337 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Kalamazoo," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Kalamazoo and to repeal all inconsistent acts

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and parts of acts," approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof, and to add a new chapter thereto, to stand as chapter 28:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages May 18 ... 1329
reported; substitute entitled: A bill to amend act No. 337 of the local acts of 1883, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Kalamazoo," and to repeal an act entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of Kalamazoo, and to repeal all inconsistent acts and parts of acts," approved March 15, 1861, as amended by the several acts amendatory thereof; agreed to; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 24 ... 1469

875. A bill to authorize the villag of L'Anse to borrow money for the purpose of making public improvements in said village and to issue the bonds for the payment of the same:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 28 ... 834
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 29 ... 840

876. A bill to amend sections 1 and 2 of act No. 344 of the local acts of 1891 entitled "An act to reincorporate the village of L'Anse, in the county of Baraga, Michigan," approved May 29, 1891:
file No. 247.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 12 ... 926
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect: returned April 13 ... 942

877. Not received.

878. Not received.

879. A bill to authorize the village of Davison, in the county of Genesee, to borrow money for the purpose of making improvements in said village:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages April 12 ... 926
reported; amended; rules suspended; tabled April 20 ... 993
taken up; passed; immediate effect; returned April 20 ... 995
House non-concurs in Senate amendments; Senate insists and asks for conference May 11 ... 1215
request for conference granted May 17 ... 1285
reported by conference committee; concurred in; re-returned May 17 ... 1301

880. Not received.

881. Not received.

882. A bill to authorize the village of Bad Axe, in the county of Huron, to raise money by bonding the village to construct water-works:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 9 ... 1150

883. Not received.

884. Not received.

885. Not received.

886. Not received.

887. Not received.

888. Not received.

889. Not received.

890. Not received.

891. A bill to provide a probate register for Macomb county and to fix his compensation:
file No. 352.
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned May 25 ... 1544

892. Not received.

893. A bill to amend section 32 of chapter 189 of the compiled laws of 1871, as amended by act No. 125 of the session laws of 1877, being section 7578 of Howell's annotated statutes of 1882, relative to the return and summoning of jurors:
file No. 219.
received; referred to committee on judiciary April 19 ... 979
reported; general order May 24 ... 1458
committee of whole; third reading May 24 ... 1503
passed; returned May 25 ... 1511

894. Not received.

895. Not received.

896. A bill to amend section 2 of chapter 1; section 1 of chapter 2; sections 3 and 4 of chapter 3; sections 1, 2, 5, 7 and 8 of chapter 4; section 1 of chapter 5; sections 1, 3, 6, 8, 9, 10, 14 and 15 of chapter 7; chapter 8; sections 2, 3, 5, 6,

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9, 10 and 14 of chapter 9; chapter 10; sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of chapter 11; sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16 and 20 of chapter 12; sections 1 and 3 of chapter 13; section 20 of chapter 14 of an act entitled "An act to amend and revise the charter of the city of Marquette, Marquette county," approved March 27, 1891, and to add certain new sections thereto, to stand as section 2 of chapter 2; sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 of chapter 3; sections 21, 22, 23 and 24 of chapter 7; section 15 of chapter 9; sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24 of chapter 11; sections 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 of chapter 12; sections 21, 22, 23 and 24 of chapter 14 of said act:
file No. 224.
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 23 798
reported; amended; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 24 804

897. A bill to authorize the boards of control of the swamp lands to make an appropriation to drain and reclaim certain swamp and overflowed lands on sections ten and fifteen in the township of Ellington, Tuscola county:
file No. 379.
received; referred to committee public improvements May 24 1479

898 to 935 inclusive, not received.

936. A bill to provide for an appropriation of $2,000 for an exhibit of the work of the public schools of Michigan at the World's Fair:
received; referred to committee on education and public schools April 19 980
reported; referred to committee on finance and appropriations April 25 .. 1034
reported; general order May 3 1099
committee of whole; third reading May 3 1111
passed; returned; May 3 1112

937. A bill to incorporate the village of Perry, in Shiawassee county:
received; referred to committee on cities and villages March 24 817
reported; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; returned March 28 823

938. Not received.
939. Not received.
940. Not received.
941. Not received.
942. Not received.
943. Not received.
944. Not received.
945. Not received.
946. Not received.
947. Not received.
948. Not received.
949. Not received.

950. A bill to amend act No. 253 of the local acts of 1877, entitled "An act providing for two voting precincts for the township of Calumet, in the county of Houghton, defining the limits thereof, providing for a registration of the voters thereof and determining who shall be inspectors of election therein," as amended by act No. 367 of the local acts of 1889:
received; rules suspended; passed; immediate effect; transmitted March 15 689

951. Not received.
952. Not received.

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Numbered in order of introduction in the House. Printed joint resolutions are given file numbers.

1. A joint resolution for the relief of Mrs. Sophia Brewer of Saginaw, Mich.:
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passed; immediate effect; returned February 16 343
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received; referred to committee on finance and appropriations March 6 .. 607
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2. Not received.
3. Not received.
4 and 9. A joint resolution relative to the introduction of bills in the Legislature: file No. 4.
received; referred to committee on constitutional amendments March 8 . 630
reported; general order March 15 685
committee of whole; all after enacting clause stricken out; tabled March 15 694
5. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of this State to be known as section 49 of article 4 of the same, relative to conferring power on the Legislature to enact laws for the creation of county and township boards of highway commissioners:
received; rules suspended; not passed; reconsidered; tabled March 8 635
taken up; general order March 8 636
committee of whole; third reading March 8 637
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6. A joint resolution authorizing the Governor to issue a patent to Frederick F. Spiegel for the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 16, town 9 north of range 2 east, the same being primary school land:
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10. A joint resolution for the relief of Rose Mary Leitch:
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11. Not received.
12. A joint resolution authorizing the Board of State Auditors to investigate, examine and settle any claim found to be due Thomas E. Mayes of the city of Ironwood, Gogebic county, State of Michigan, against the State of Michigan, for constructing a State road from Bessemer, Gogebic county, to the mouth of Black river in said county:
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13. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to article 10 of the constitution of this State, by adding a new section thereto, to stand as section 12, relative to county roads in the county of Bay:
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